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Oldeſt Man Alive.

WHOE'ER thou art, of whatſoever ſtation,
Kindly accept this humble Dedication;
And may You long the envy'd boon enjoy,
Pure Nature's choiceſt gift, without alloy!—
But while to You I dedicate my Page,
O, might THEY liſten—THEY of Younger Age!
Who careleſs now, beneath the morning beam,
Glide ſwiftly down Corruption's fatal ſtream.
May THEY peruſe, with profitable care,
My Book—and learn, from each example there,
To follow Nature, in her frugal plan,
And thus to lengthen out their little ſpan!
Not Galen's ſkill, or Æſculapian rules,
The pride of learning, or the boaſt of ſchools;
But Temp'rance, Exerciſe, and all the train
Of ſober virtues, chace diſeaſe and pain:—
So ſhall my humble labours merit praiſe,
And future PARRS be bleſt with honor'd days!

Saliſbury, Oct. 1, 1799.

PREFACE.

HAVING frequently obſerved ſome Long-Livers particularly noticed in large Works, as well as many Enquiries and Obſervations by the Learned, relative to Longevity, in various Publications; it occurred to me, that a Catalogue of Perſons, of the age of *a Century* and upwards, from an early period

to

to the preſent time, would not be unacceptable; eſpecially as but few Compilations of that nature have hitherto appeared; which, notwithſtanding they contained very miſcellaneous matter, and compriſed ages ſo low as eighty years, were ſought after with avidity, and are, conſequently, now become ſcarce.

To the candour of the Public, therefore, I ſubmit this Volume, containing the Names of 1712 Perſons, who paſſed the age of *one hundred years*, collected, partly, from the M.S. of a Gentleman deceaſed; and, partly, from my own Reſearches;

ſearches; in which the Reader will meet with many curious and interesting Anecdotes of the moſt remarkable Long-Livers, which have been drawn from various and authentic ſources.

INTRO-

INTRODUCTION.

THE varieties of climate, and modes of living, make but little difference, as to the period of our exiſtence, it being nearly the ſame with the European, as with the Negro: it will, however, be ſeen, by the peruſal of the following ſheets, that the more a man follows Nature, and is obedient to her laws, the longer he will live; and that the further he deviates from theſe, the ſhorter will be his exiſtence.

It is not the rich and great, not thoſe who depend on medicines, who become old; but ſuch as uſe much exerciſe, are expoſed

expoſed to the freſh air, and whoſe food is plain and moderate, as farmers, gardeners, fiſhermen, labourers, ſoldiers, &c.; and ſuch men, as perhaps never employed their thoughts on the means which have been uſed to promote Longevity. It is amongſt theſe people, chiefly, that the moſt aſtoniſhing inſtances of it are to be obſerved. Sometimes, in theſe ſituations, man ſtill attains to the amazing age of one hundred and fifty years, and upwards. And here I cannot deny myſelf the pleaſure of giving a more particular account of ſome of theſe inſtances; for, in caſes of this kind, the moſt trifling circumſtance is often intereſting, and may be of importance.

The ſingular caſe of Henry Jenkins, of Ellerton-upon-Swale, Yorkſhire, who died in the year 1670, at the very advanced age of *one hundred and ſixty-nine years*, as recorded in the *Philoſophical Tranſactions*, ought to be more generally known than it is. A few years before his death, he appeared

peared as an evidence in a cauſe, and had an oath adminiſtered to him, which is proved by an entry in the King's Remembrancer-office in the Exchequer; the truth of which cannot, therefore, be controverted.

Another Engliſhman, the well-known Thomas Parr, of Winnington, Shropſhire, who died in the year 1635, at the age of *one hundred and fifty-two years*, is likewiſe recorded in the *Philoſophical Tranſactions*. His death is a corroborating circumſtance, that the life of man, by attention to the laws of Nature, might, probably, be extended to the term of *two hundred years*; for, on his body being opened by Dr. Harvey, it was found to be in the moſt perfect ſtate, the only cauſe of his death being a mere plethora, brought on by more luxurious living in London, than he had been accuſtomed to in his native county, where his food was very plain and homely; hence there are ſtrong grounds for aſſerting, that the organization and vital

vital powers of many men are capable of ſupporting a duration and activity of *two hundred years.*

"Nature is frugal, and her wants are few."

There are alſo many other ſimilar proofs in this Collection, (as may be ſeen under the reſpective dates) of which the few following inſtances will perhaps ſuffice:

Lywarch Hên, died in the year 500, aged 150 years.

Counteſs of Deſmond, in 1612, aged 145.

Thomas Damme, in 1648, aged 154.

Peter Torton, in 1724, aged 185.

Margaret Patten, in 1739, aged 137.

John Rovin, and his Wife, in 1741, the former aged 172, the latter 164.

St. Mongah, in 1781, aged 185.

As ſeveral Authors have, in ſupport of various ſyſtems, and for different purpoſes, made deductions of the number of men living at different ages beyond the common period, I have ſubjoined two of the moſt remarkable, and, as appeared to me, the moſt correct.

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The following ſtatement of the relative duration of human exiſtence is taken from Hufeland:

Of a hundred Men who are born,

50 die before the 10th year,
20 between the 10th and the 20th.
10 —— 20th and the 30th.
6 —— 30th and the 40th.
5 —— 40th and the 50th.
3 —— 50th and the 60th.

therefore, ſix only live to be above the age of ſixty.

Haller, who collected the greateſt number of inſtances reſpecting the age of man, found the relative duration of life to be in the following proportion:

Of Men who lived from 100 to 110 years, the inſtances have been 1000
from 110 to 120 —— 60
—— 120 to 130 —— 29
—— 130 to 140 —— 15
—— 140 to 150 —— 6
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But

But as this Volume, probably, contains a much more extenſive Collection of Long-Livers, than any preceding work on the ſubject, I cannot deny myſelf the ſatisfaction of compiling from it the following Table, ſimilar to Haller's:

Of Males and Females, who lived from 100 to 110 years (both incluſive) the inſtances have been	—	1310
above	110 to 120	277
—	120 to 130	84
—	130 to 140	26
—	140 to 150	7
—	150 to 160	3
—	160 to 170	2
—	170 to 185	3
		1712

Having moſt ſcrupulouſly refuſed admittance to every account, of the authenticity of which I had the ſmalleſt doubt; I have not included the following very extraordinary Character in my Collection. How-

However, as it is derived from two reſpectable Authors, I have, from the ſingularity of the circumſtance, thought it adviſable to give it a place, leaving the Reader to form his own opinion reſpecting it.

MAFFEUS, a Portugueſe Author, who wrote *The Hiſtory of the Indies*, which has always been a model of veracity, as well as elegant compoſition, mentions a man of the name of *Numas de Cugna*, a native of Bengal, who died in the year 1566, at the incredible age of *three hundred and ſeventy years:*

" He was a perſon of great ſimplicity, " and quite illiterate; but of ſo extenſive " a memory, that he was a kind of living " chronicle, relating, diſtinctly and exact- " ly, what had happened within his know- " ledge in the compaſs of his very long " life, together with all the circumſtances " attending it. He had four new ſets of " teeth; and the colour of his hair and

" beard had been very frequently changed " from black to grey, and from grey to " black. He aſſerted, that in the courſe " of his life he had ſeven hundred wives, " ſome of whom died, and the others he " had put away. The firſt century of his " life paſſed in idolatry, from which he " was converted to Mahometaniſm, which " he continued to profeſs to his death."— This account is alſo confirmed by another Portugueſe Author, Ferdinand Lopez Caſtegueda, who was hiſtoriographer royal.

The man, who has reached the fartheſt extent of mortal exiſtence, may be conſidered as a pattern of human nature, in its utmoſt perfection, and as an inſtance of what is poſſible to be attained under favourable circumſtances. The expectation of a long life may be founded on ſuch natural conſequences as can never fail. It is next to impoſſible, that he who leads a regular and ſober life ſhould fall ſick, or die a natural death before the time that Nature has pre-

preſcribed; for diſtempers cannot be produced without a cauſe; and if there be no bad one reigning, there can be no fatal effect, or violent death. Thus a regular life puts at a diſtance the ſad hour of death, while every kind of exceſs has a contrary effect.

From country villages, and not from crouded cities, have the majority of the inſtances of Longevity herein recorded, been chiefly ſupplied. And it appears from the London bills of mortality, during a period of thirty years, *viz.* from the year 1728 to 1758, that the ſum of the deaths amounted to 750,322, and that, in all this prodigious number, only two hundred and forty-two perſons ſurvived the hundredth year of their age! This overgrown metropolis is computed, by Dr. Price, to contain a ninth part of the inhabitants of England, and to conſume annually ſeven thouſand perſons, who remove into it from the country every year,

without increaſing it. He moreover obſerves, that the number of inhabitants in England and Wales has diminiſhed, about one fourth part, ſince the revolution, and ſo rapidly of late, that, in eleven years, near 200,000 of our common people have been loſt! If the calculation be juſt, however alarming it may appear in a national view, there is this conſolation, when conſidered in a philoſophical light, that without partial evil, there can be no general good; and that, what a nation loſes in the ſcale of population at one period, it gains at another; and thus, probably, the average number of inhabitants, on the ſurface of the globe continues, at all times, nearly the ſame. By this medium the world is neither overſtocked with inhabitants, nor kept too thin, but life and death keep a tolerably equal pace. The inhabitants of this iſland, comparatively ſpeaking, are but as the duſt of the balance; yet, inſtead of being diminiſhed, we are aſſured by other writers,

writers, that they are, of late years, greatly increaſed.

I have already obſerved, that freſh air is more immediately neceſſary to life than food; for a man may live two or three days without the latter, but not many minutes without the former. The vivifying principle contained in the atmoſphere, ſo eſſential to the ſupport of flame, as well as animal life, concerning which authors have propoſed ſo many conjectures, appears now to be nothing elſe but that pure dephlogiſticated fluid, diſcovered by that ingenious philoſopher, Dr. Prieſtley. The common atmoſphere may well be ſuppoſed to be more or leſs healthy, in proportion as it abounds with this animating principle. As this exhales, in copious ſtreams, from the green leaves of all kinds of vegetables, even from thoſe of the moſt poiſonous kind, may we not, in ſome meaſure, account why inſtances of Longevity are ſo much more frequent in the country than

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in great cities, where the air, inſtead of partaking of this ſalutary impregnation, is daily contaminated with noxious animal effluvia, and phlogiſton?

With reſpect to climate, various obſervations conſpire to prove, that thoſe regions, which lie within the temperate zones, are beſt calculated to promote long life. Hence, perhaps, may be explained, why Iſlands in general are more ſalutary than Continents: and, it is a pleaſing circumſtance, that our own Iſland appears, from the following ſheets, (notwithſtanding the ſudden viciſſitudes to which it is liable) to contain far more inſtances of Longevity than could well be imagined. The ingenious Mr. WHITEHURST, in his *Enquiry into the Original State and Formation of the Earth*, aſſures us, from certain facts, that Engliſhmen are, in general, longer lived than North Americans; and that a Britiſh conſtitution will laſt longer, even in that climate, than a native one.

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But it muſt be allowed, in general, that the human conſtitution is adapted to the peculiar ſtate and temperature of each reſpective climate; ſo that no part of the habitable globe can be pronounced too hot, or too cold, for its natural inhabitants. Yet, in order to promote a friendly intercourſe between the moſt remote regions, the Author of Nature has wiſely enabled the inhabitants to endure great and ſurpriſing changes of temperature with impunity.

From the light which hiſtory affords us, as well as from many inſtances in the following Collection, there is much reaſon to believe, that Longevity is, in a great meaſure, hereditary; and that healthy, long-lived parents would commonly tranſmit the ſame bleſſings to their children, were it not for the frequent irregularities in meat, drink, and exerciſe, which ſo evidently tend to the abbreviation of human life.

Whence is it, but from theſe cauſes, and the

the unnatural modes of living, that, of all the children which are born in the capital cities of Europe, nearly one-half die in early infancy? To what elſe can we attribute this extraordinary mortality? Such an amazing proportion of premature deaths is a circumſtance unheard of among ſavage nations, or among the young of other animals! In the earlieſt ages of the world, we are informed, that human life was protracted to a very extraordinary length; yet how few perſons, in theſe latter times, arrive at that period which nature ſeems to have deſigned! Man is, by nature, a field-animal, and ſeems deſtined to riſe with the ſun, and to ſpend a large portion of his time in the open air, to inure his body to robuſt exerciſes, and the inclemency of the ſeaſons, and to make a plain homely repaſt, only when hunger dictates. But Art has ſtudiouſly defeated the kind intentions of Nature; and by enſlaving him to all the blandiſhments of ſenſe, has left him, alas! an eaſy victim to folly and caprice! To enu-

enumerate the various abuſes, which take place from the earlieſt infancy, and which are continued through the ſucceeding ſtages of modiſh life, would exceed my limits. Suffice it to obſerve, that they prevail more particularly among people, who are the moſt highly poliſhed and refined.—To compare their artificial mode of life with that of nature, or even with the Long-Livers in this Work, would, probably, afford a very ſtriking contraſt; and, at the ſame time, ſupply an additional reaſon, why, in very large cities, inſtances of Longevity are ſo very rare. Of late years, the increaſing luxury and diſſipation of the age, no longer confined to the metropolis, have ſpread their contagion far and wide into the country, ſo as to afford the ſage Divine, and ſpeculative Moraliſt, a more melancholy proſpect of the apparent degeneracy of the human race, than perhaps was ever before exhibited!

It is worthy of remark, that the greater part

part of mankind, who have become very old, were married more than once, and generally at a very late period of life. There is ſcarce an inſtance of a batchelor having attained to a great age. This obſervation is as applicable to the female, as to the male ſex.

In the firſt half of man's age, an active, even a fatiguing life, is conducive to Longevity; but in the laſt half, a life that is peaceful and uniform. No inſtance can be found of an idler having attained to a remarkably great age.

Buffon obſerves, "the duration of life may, in ſome meaſure, be computed by the time occupied in growth. A plant or an animal that acquires maturity in a ſhort time, periſhes much ſooner than thoſe which are longer in arriving at that period.

"Every object in nature muſt change and

and decay. No ſooner do the bodies of men arrive at full maturity, than they inſtantly begin to decline. The waſte is at firſt inſenſible; ſeveral years frequently revolve before we perceive any conſiderable alteration.

"If the conſtitution be ſound, life may, doubtleſs, be prolonged for many years, by moderating the paſſions, and by temperance. If it ſhould be aſked, why the firſt races of men, as recorded in the Holy Scriptures, lived upwards of nine hundred years? perhaps a ſatisfactory anſwer may be given. The productions of the earth were then of a different nature. The ſurface of the globe was, in the firſt ages of the world, leſs ſolid and compact. The period of man's exiſtence, therefore, may have gradually diminiſhed, in proportion as the ſurface of the earth acquired more ſolidity by the conſtant action of gravity. It is probable, that the period from the Creation, to the days of David, was ſufficient

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to give the earth all the denſity it was capable of receiving from the influence of gravitation; and, conſequently, that the ſurface of the earth has ever ſince remained in the ſame ſtate, and that the terms of growth in the productions of the earth, as well as the duration of life, have been invariably fixed from that period.

" Death is common to vegetables, as well as animals. An oak only periſhes, becauſe the oldeſt parts of the wood, which are in the centre, become ſo hard and compact, that they can receive no further nouriſhment. The moiſture they contain being deprived of circulation, and not replaced by freſh ſap, ferments, corrupts, and gradually reduces the fibres of the wood into powder.

" Thus it is with old men, who are ſubject to natural infirmities that originate ſolely from the decay of the different parts of the body. The head ſhakes, the hands trem-

tremble, the legs totter, the ſenſibility of the nerves decreaſes, and every ſenſe is blunted. At about the age of ſeventy years, decrepitude commences, and continues to augment, till eighty or ninety, when death commonly puts a period to the exiſtence of thoſe few, who have been ſo fortunate as to wade through ſuch length of life, without being taken off its ſtage by the innumerable hoſt of diſeaſes, and caſual accidents, to which the human frame is ſubject; and which openly and ſecretly prey upon our lives."

"That ſo complicated a machine, as the human body," ſays our worthy countryman, Fothergill, "ſo delicate in its texture, and ſo exquiſitely formed in all its parts, ſhould continue, for ſo many years, to perform its various functions, even under the moſt prudent conduct, is not a little ſurpriſing: but that it ſhould ever hold out to any advanced period, under all the rude ſhocks it ſo often meets with from riot and intem-

intemperance, which lay it open to all the various "ills that flesh is heir to," is still more truly miraculous! But here, perhaps, it may be observed, that all the Long-Livers did not pursue one uniform, regular course of life, since it will be seen, that a few of the most noted ones were sometimes guilty of great deviations from strict temperance and regularity. Let not this, however, encourage the giddy libertines of the present age, to hope to render their continued scenes of intemperance and debauchery compatible with Health and Longevity. The duties and occupations of life will not, indeed, permit the generality of mankind to live by rule, and subject themselves to a precise regimen. Fortunately, this is not necessary; for the divine Architect has, with infinite wisdom, rendered the human frame so ductile, as to admit of a very considerable *latitude of health*; yet this has its bounds, which none can long transgress with impunity. For if Old Parr, notwith-

withſtanding ſome exceſſes and irregularities, arrived at ſo aſtoniſhing an age, yet we have reaſon to ſuppoſe that theſe were far from being habitual; and may alſo conclude, that had it not been for theſe abuſes, his life might have been ſtill conſiderably protracted.

"On the whole, though ſome few exceptions may occur to what has been already advanced, yet it will be found, in general, that all extremes are unfriendly to Health and Longevity. Exceſſive heat enervates the body; extreme cold renders it torpid: ſloth and inactivity clog the neceſſary movements of the machine; inceſſant labour ſoon wears it out. On the other hand, a temperate climate, moderate exerciſe, pure country air, and ſtrict temperance, together with a prudent regulation of the paſſions, will prove the moſt efficacious means of protracting life to its utmoſt limits. Now if any of theſe require more peculiar attention than the reſt, it is, undoubtedly, the laſt:

laſt: for the ſocial paſſions, like gentle gales, fan the brittle veſſel calmly along the ocean of life, while, on the other hand, rough, turbulent ones daſh it upon rocks and quickſands. Hence, perhaps, it may be explained, why the cultivation of philoſophy, muſic, and the fine arts, all which manifeſtly tend to humanize the ſoul, and to calm the rougher paſſions, are ſo highly conducive to Longevity. And, finally, why there is no ſure method of ſecuring that habitual calmneſs and ſerenity of mind, which conſtitute true happineſs, and which are, at the ſame time, ſo eſſential to health and long life, without virtue."

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HUMAN LONGEVITY.

Obiit A. D. 66.

Marcus Androgeneus—Ætat. 107.

HE was ſlain in battle in the reign of the Emperor Nero, as appears from an ancient inſcription on a ſtone at Lower-Kibworth, Leiceſterſhire.

95.

Apollonius—130.

Of Tyana, in Cappadocia; a Pythagorean philoſopher. At the age of ſixteen years, he became a ſtrict obſerver of the rules of Pythagoras, renouncing wine, women, and all ſorts of fleſh; not wearing ſhoes, letting his hair grow, and wearing nothing but linen. He ſoon after ſet up for a reformer of mankind, and choſe for his

habitation the temple of Æſculapius, where he is ſaid to have performed many miraculous cures. Philoſtratus has written the *Life of Apollonius*, in which there are numberleſs fabulous ſtories recounted of him. We are told that he went five years without ſpeaking, and yet, during this time, that he ſtopped many ſeditions in Cilicia and Pamphylia: that he travelled, and ſet up for a legiſlator; and that he gave out that he underſtood all languages, without having ever learned them; that he could tell the thoughts of men, and underſtood the oracles, which birds gave by their ſinging. The heathens were fond of oppoſing the pretended miracles of this man to thoſe of our Saviour: and by a treatiſe which Euſebius wrote againſt one Hierocles, we find, that the drift of the latter, in the treatiſe which Euſebius refutes, had been to draw a parallel betwixt Jeſus Chriſt and Apollonius, in which he gives the preference to this philoſopher.

356.

St. Anthony the Great—105.

Of the village of Coma, in Egypt. He was inſtitutor of the monaſtic life. Having heard theſe words of the "Goſpel, Yet lackeſt thou "one thing, ſell all that thou haſt, and diſtri-

"bute

"bute unto the poor, and thou ſhalt have "treaſure in Heaven," he reſolved to retire from the world. He ſold his goods, diſtributed the money to the poor, and buried himſelf in ſolitude. His fame attracted ſuch a number of diſciples that he was obliged to cauſe ſeveral monaſteries to be built in the deſart. His body remained hidden two centuries, from the fidelity of two of his diſciples, whom he had requeſted to inter him ſecretly.

491.

St. Patrick—122.

The firſt biſhop in Ireland. He was carried a captive thither from Scotland at the age of ſixteen years.

500.

Attila—124.

King of the Huns. Hearty and ſtrong at ſuch great age, he led to the altar of Hymen, as a ſecond wife, one of the moſt beautiful princeſſes of the age, and the next day died of exceſs.

Lywarch Hên—150.

A Welſh bard; contemporary with King Arthur. He had twenty-four ſons, who all fell

reſiſting the Saxons. His *Elegy on Old Age, and their Deaths*, is ſtill remaining.

618.

St. Coemgene—120.

Commonly called *St. Keiven the Founder.* He was both biſhop and abbot of Gleandalock, or the ſeven churches in Wicklow, in Ireland. He abdicated his biſhoprick, and contented himſelf with his abbacy, and lived a ſolitary life in the above place.

861.

Piaſtus—120.

King of Poland. He was raiſed from a mean ſtate to the throne in 824, and gained immortal glory amongſt his countrymen, by his prudent government.

1499.

Agnes Skuner—119.

Of Camberwell, Surry. She was wife of Richard Skuner, who died Jan. 1407, as appears by a very ancient Latin inſcription on a monument in Camberwell church. The antiquity of the monument is very deſerving the attention of

of the curious; but when the extraordinary age of the wife is properly conſidered, who ſurvived her huſband ninety-two years, it muſt appear to be one of the moſt remarkable inſcriptions in this, or any other country.

1566.

Lewis Cornaro—104.

Of Padua; a Venetian nobleman. About the age of thirty-ſix, his life was endangered by his exceſſes. Being ſenſible of his folly, he reſolved to lead a life of the ſtricteſt temperance; and though at ſeventy, he was overthrown in his coach, whereby his head was broken, and a leg and arm diſlocated, he recovered without any other application than a ſimple bandage. At the age of ninety-five, this extraordinary perſon wrote a treatiſe on the *Birth and Death of Man.*

1612.

The Counteſs of Deſmond—145.

Of Ireland. She was married in the reign of King Edward IV., was in England the ſame reign, and danced with the Duke of York, the King's brother. Upon the ruin of the houſe of Deſmond, ſhe was obliged, at the great age of one hundred

hundred and forty, to travel from Briſtol to London, to ſolicit relief from the Court, being reduced to poverty. Lord Bacon ſays, ſhe renewed her teeth twice or thrice. This remarkable lady was a ſubject for the pens of a variety of authors. She retained her vigour to the laſt.

In the reign of King James I., (about this period) a morris-dance was exhibited in Herefordſhire, conſiſting of twelve perſons, whoſe age each, on an average, amounted to one hundred years.

1635.

Thomas Parr—152.

Of Winnington, Shropſhire, a poor countryman. At the age of eighty-eight, he married his firſt wife, by whom he had two children, who died young. At the age of one hundred and two, he fell in love with Catharine Milton, whom he got with child, and for which he did penance in the church. At the age of one hundred and twenty, he married a widow woman; and at the very advanced age of one hundred and thirty, he was able to do any huſbandry work, even the threſhing of corn. He frequently eat

eat by night, as well as by day; was contented with ſkimmed cheeſe, milk, coarſe bread, ſmall beer, and whey; and, what is remarkable, he eat at midnight, a little before he died. He had ſeen ten kings and queens of England. A few years before his death, he was brought to London by Thomas, Earl of Arundell, who preſented him to King Charles I.; and about that time the Counteſs of Arundell preſented a midwife to the queen, who was one hundred and twenty-three years old, and who exerciſed her profeſſion but two years before. Parr was now a domeſtic in the family of the Earl of Arundell, fed high, and drank plentifully of the beſt wines, by which, after a conſtant, plain, and homely diet, the natural functions of the parts of his body were overcharged, his lungs obſtructed, and the habit of the whole body quite diſordered; in conſequence, there could not but ſpeedily enſue a diſſolution. If he had not changed his diet, he might poſſibly have lived many years longer. His body being opened after death, it was found to be very fleſhy: his heart was thick and fat; his viſcera very ſound and ſtrong, eſpecially the ſtomach; his kidneys were covered with fat, and pretty ſound, as were alſo the ſeveral members of his body.

1648

1648.

Thomas Damme—154.

Of Leighton, near Minſhul, in the palatinate of Cheſter, as may be ſeen by his grave-ſtone, on which his age is cut (to prevent miſtakes) in words at length. The church regiſter is ſigned by the Rev. T. Holdford, vicar; and T. Kennerly and J. Warburton, church-wardens.

1650.

Mr. Haſtings—100.

He was ſon, brother, and uncle to the Earl of Huntingdon, and was an original character. In the year 1638, he reſided at Woodlands, in the county of Dorſet. The manſion-houſe ſtood in the middle of the park ſurrounded with deer, fiſh-ponds, and plenty of hares and rabbits. Mr. H. kept all ſorts of hounds for buck, fox, otter, hare, and badger; long and ſhort-winged hawks. The great hall was filled with all kinds of dogs and cats in great plenty; game-keepers' and hunters' poles; with a vaſt number of hawks, perchers, terriers, hounds, ſpaniels, and marrow-bones. The walls of the houſe were covered with the ſkins of foxes and polecats. The great

great parlour windows were filled with croſs-bows, ſtone-bows, and arrows. His old green hats were full of pheaſants' eggs, and litters of young cats. Tables, dice, cards, and books were not wanting. The pulpit in the chapel was well ſtored with gammons of bacon, roaſt beef, veniſon-paſties, and large apple-pies. His cellar, in which was plenty of excellent ſtrong beer, was always open to his neighbours. He dived into the ſecrets of a great majority of the maids, wives, and widows in his neighbourhood. His pulpit door was always open, which made him much careſſed. He was very temperate at meals, when he only drank one pint of ſmall beer ſtirred with roſemary, and one or two glaſſes of wine with ſyrup of gilliflowers. His dreſs was always green cloth, with a green hat. He eat oyſters twice a day throughout the year; and rode to the death of a ſtag when near ninety years of age.

1662.

Frances Woodworth—102.

Of Carlton, in Craven. She left a ſon aged ſixty-nine years.

1668.

1668.

Mary Alliſon—108.

Of Thorlby, in the pariſh of Skipton. She was able to ſpin two years before her death.

John Sagar—112.

Of Burnley, Lancaſhire.

1670.

Henry Jenkins—169.

Of Ellerton Upon Swale, Yorkſhire. He remembered the battle of Plowden-Field, which was fought Sept. 9, 1513, when he was about twelve years old. He was then ſent to North-allerton with a cart-load of arrows, but an older boy was ſent to the army with them, bows and arrows being then in uſe. At this time King Henry VIII. was at Tournay, in France. At Ellerton there were alſo living, at the ſame time, four or five old men, reputed to be one hundred years each, and they obſerved that Jenkins was an elderly man, when they firſt knew him, for he was born in another pariſh, and before church regiſters were in uſe. Jenkins was once butler to Lord Conyers; he perfectly well remembered the Abbot of Fountain's-

tain's-Abbey, before the diſſolution of the monaſteries: and was the oldeſt man born upon the ruins of this poſtdiluvian world. In the laſt century of his life, he was a fiſherman, and often ſwam in the rivers after he had attained the age of one hundred years. His diet was coarſe and ſour. In the King's remembrancer-office, in the Exchequer, there is a record of a depoſition in a cauſe by Engliſh Bill, between Anthony Clark and Smirkſon, taken, April 1665, at Kettering, Yorkſhire, where Henry Jenkins, of Ellerton-upon-Swale, labourer, aged one hundred and fifty-ſeven years, was produced and depoſed as a witneſs. He was buried at Belton, Yorkſhire. In 1743, a monument, with a ſuitable epitaph inſcribed, was erected to his memory.

Thomas Wiggin—108.

Of Carlton, in Craven. He was able to walk till near the time of his death, and was a very fair corpſe.

Dr. Glyſſon—100.

Phyſician to Queen Elizabeth. His aſpect was venerable and engaging, and his hair very much reſembled ſnow.

1671.

1671.

Robert Montgomery—127.

Of Skipton, in Craven. He was born in Scotland; the oldeſt inhabitant of Skipton never knew him otherwiſe than as an old man. He latterly obtained his living by begging, which he was able to do the year preceding his death.

1685.

Guſtavus Holme—132.

A Dover pilot; was buried at Stoke, near Canterbury.

1687.

Stephen Rumbold—105.

Of Brightwell, Oxfordſhire. On his tomb in the church-yard of that place, is the following inſcription:

"He lived one hundred and five
"Sanguine and ſtrong;
"An hundred to five
"You live not ſo long."

1691.

Mrs. Eckleſton—143.

Of Phillip's-town, King's County, in Ireland.

1698.

1698.

John Moorze—104.

Of Lymington, Hants, a pedling ironmonger. He was remarkably freſh and lively to the laſt, and could bear the ſevereſt weather.

1706.

John Bayles—126.

Of Northampton.

1710.

The Sieur Caſtra—111.

Of Bourdeaux, a celebrated advocate.

Rachel de Bichois—107.

Of Rochelle. During the ſiege of that town in 1628, by Cardinal Richlieu's perſuaſions, ſhe turned Roman Catholic; and Louis XIII. to do her honour, dined twice with her at her pleaſure-houſe, ſix miles from the town, into which the inconveniencies of the ſiege had obliged her to retire. She was mother of twenty-two children.

1711.

Jane Scrimſhaw—127.

She was born in the pariſh of Bow, and died in Roſemary-lane work-houſe, London.

1714.

William Wakeley—124.

A native of Shiffnal, Shropſhire. He lived in the reigns of eight kings and queens, and was buried at Adbaſton, which is recorded on a ſmall board affixed to a pillar oppoſite the pulpit in Shiffnal church.

1724.

Peter Torton—185.

Of Temeſwar, in Hungary, a peaſant. The remarkable longevity of this man exceeds the age of Iſaac, five years; of Abraham, ten; falls ſhort of Terah's, Abraham's father, twenty; and exceeds that of Nahor, Abraham's grandfather, thirty-ſeven.

1731.

Robert Briſtow—105.

Of Stamford, Lincolnſhire. He had loſt his hearing, but enjoyed his ſight, and other ſenſes, to the laſt.

Ducheſs

Ducheſs of Tyrconnel—104.

Of Dublin. She was ſiſter to the Ducheſs Dowager of Marlborough.

Timothy Coward—114.

Of Kendal, Lancaſhire.

Mr. Eaton—107.

Of Saliſbury-court, London.

William Edie—120.

Of Canongate, in Edinburgh, bellman. He had buried the inhabitants of Canongate thrice. He was ninety years a freeman, and married a ſecond wife after he was one hundred years of age.

James Anderſon—108.

Of Stonehive, in Scotland.

1732.

Iſaac Finch—104.

Of Watford, Hertfordſhire, leather-ſeller.

Mrs. Simpſon—106.

Wife of Mr. Simpſon, keeper of Buſhy Park.

Mrs.

Mrs. Herriman—115.

Of St. Martin's Le Grand.

Ann Roſs—118.

Of Leith, in Scotland.

Mr. Cotſworth—100.

Of St. Dunſtan's in the Weſt, London, watch-maker. He was the oldeſt inhabitant of the pariſh.

Suſannah Beberns—106.

Of Sherbourn-lane. Her mother was one hundred and eight years old.

Catharine Bayles—102.

Of Northampton. Her father was one hundred and twenty-ſix.

William Leland—140.

Of Liſneſkea, in Ireland. Though he lived to ſuch great age, he never was ſick, or loſt the uſe of any of his faculties till the hour of his death.

1733.

William Haſeling—112.

Of Chelſea College, in which he was the oldeſt

oldeſt penſioner. He ſerved in the parliament army, at Edgehill; under King William, in Ireland; and the Duke of Marlborough, in Flanders. He married and buried two wives, after he was one hundred; and the third, who ſurvived him, he married at the age of one hundred and ten. Beſides his penſion from the college, he was allowed a crown a week from the Duke of Richmond and Sir Robert Walpole.

Anne Kerney—110.

Of Red-Lion-ſquare, London; a maiden lady.

Mr. Gundy—116.

Of Hyde-Park-corner, London; a gentleman of large fortune.

Mrs. Harriſon—104.

Of Hampſtead, Middleſex.

Mrs. Malton—105.

Of Reading, Berks; a maiden lady.

Mr. Truſs—112.

Of Clayhill, near Enfield, Middleſex. He was a ſoldier in the army of Oliver Cromwell.

1734.

Sir John Harmon Whitfield—101.

Of Buckland, Dorſet. In 1700 he changed his name from *Harmon* to *Whitfield*, by act of parliament, on account of a large eſtate left him by John Whitfield, of Yorkſhire, Eſq.

Barton de Cuney, Eſq.—100.

Formerly an aſſiſtant clerk of the Treaſury.

William Thurmond, Eſq.—105.

Reſided near Carliſle. In 1645, he was in the battle of Naſeby, and loſt an arm by a muſket-ball.

John Rouſey, Eſq.—138.

Of the iſland of Diſtrey, in Scotland. At the age of one hundred years, his ſon was born, who afterwards inherited his eſtate.

Sir John Lewis—104.

Of Northamptonſhire.

Thomas Simpſon—100.

Keeper of Buſhy-park above ſixty years. His wife died in 1732, aged one hundred and ſix years.

John

John Burnet—109.

Of Broadwater, Suſſex. He married ſix wives, three of them after he was one hundred years old; and died in the ſame houſe in which he was born.

1735.

Mary Dennis—106.

Penſioner in St. George's work-houſe.

Captain Joſeph Stanley—102.

He was forty-five years in the Weſt-India ſervice.

James Wilſon—100.

Of Kendal, Lancaſhire.

1736.

Richard Griffin—116.

Of Southwark.

Mrs. Woodridge—110.

Of Wapping.

Dr. Wakefield—102.

Of Weſtmoreland, phyſician.

Edward Wallace—101.

Of Edinburgh. He was the eldeſt writer to the ſignet, having been admitted before the Revolution.

John Baxter—101.

Of Greenwich.

Roger Friers—103.

Of Kendal, Lancaſhire.

1737.

Thomas Azbey—112.

Of Chelſea college.

Henry Morgan—105.

Of Lewes, Suſſex. He never uſed ſpectacles, nor had a day's illneſs.

1738.

Edmund Croſby, Eſq.—106.

Of Carmarthenſhire.

John Engliſh—100.

Of Shoreditch. His corpſe was attended to the grave by thirty children and grand-children.

Thomas

Thomas Wood—106.

Of Much Canfield, Eſſex; of which place he was pariſh-clerk ſeventy-eight years. He kept his bed but one day, and could ſee to read without ſpectacles to the laſt.

Mrs. Edmonds—105.

Of the Iſle of Purbeck. She left four children, the youngeſt ſeventy years of age; and above ſixty grandchildren and great grandchildren.

1739.

Conrade Ruſtina—108.

A Swede, in the ſervice of the Duke of Bridgewater.

Mr. Smith—100.

Of Aldermanbury; formerly an apothecary.

Margaret Patten—137.

Of St. Margaret's workhouſe, London; a Scotch woman. She always enjoyed good health till within a few days of her diſſolution; and for many years ſubſiſted moſtly on milk.

Thomas

Thomas Bond—105.

Of Greenwich hoſpital.

1740.

Mr. Davis—110.

Of Harry's coffee-houſe, Fleet-ſtreet, London. He retained all his faculties to the time of his death, and could ſee to read well.

James Graſmay—125.

Of Preſbourg, in Hungary; a Fleming.

Captain Thompſon—102.

Of the royal navy; formerly commander of the Boyne man of war.

Mrs. Pimm—105.

Of Soho, London. She died without any ſeeming impair of her ſenſes.

Mrs. Eyre—104.

A relation of the late Lord Chief Juſtice Eyre.

Margaret Finch—109.

She was one of the wandering fraternity of Gypſies, of whom ſhe was called *Queen*, and was a ſingular character. Her manner of life

was

was the ſame at is uſual with thoſe people. Towards the cloſe of her exiſtence, ſhe took up her reſidence at Norwood, a place famed for the reſort of her vagabond ſubjects.

1741.

John Rovin—172.

His Wife—164.

Of the Bannat of Temeſwar, in Hungary. Both died the ſame year, in the one hundred and forty-eighth year of their marriage, leaving two ſons and two daughters, beſides many grandchildren. Their youngeſt ſon was one hundred and ſixteen years of age.

Ann Grindall—104.

Of Crockware, Glouceſterſhire.

1742.

John Phillips—117.

Of Thorn, near Leeds, Yorkſhire. He lived under eight crowned heads, and was able to walk till within a few days of his death. His teeth were good, and his ſight and hearing tolerable. At about the age of twenty-eight, being conſtable of his pariſh, he, upon ſome diſorders, committed two of Oliver Cromwell's

ſoldiers

ſoldiers in the town-ſtocks; who, far from reſenting it, wiſhed that every one of his men had but half his courage.

William Hodges—102.

Of Maidſtone.

James Littlejohn—118.

Of the pariſh of Mochrum, Gallowayſhire, in Scotland. He had ſeen King Charles I. and Oliver Cromwell, in Scotland, and deſcribed them very juſtly. He retained all his faculties to the time of his deceaſe.

1743.

Lady Nevil—100.

Relict of Sir James Nevil, Bart.

Agnes Milborne—106.

Of St. Luke's workhouſe, London. She had twenty-nine ſons, and one daughter, by one huſband, twenty of whom frequently followed her to church, but ſurvived all her children and grandchildren, except one grandſon.

Mr. Webb—100.

Of Coleman-ſtreet, London.

Mr.

Mr. Horn—102.

Of Southwark, grocer.

Mary Pymm—121.

Of Groſvenor-ſquare, London. For many years ſhe ſubſiſted entirely on the bounty of the benevolent.

Mr. Lavington—106.

Of Purlington, Somerſetſhire. He left three daughters, the youngeſt of whom was ſeventy-two years old.

Francis Purdigo—114.

Of Jamaica. He was at the conqueſt of the iſland, and muſt have ſeen twelve generations there; for it being computed that they bury every ſeven years a number equal to the whole.

Mrs. Dowſe—100.

Of Hackney; of which place ſhe was ſexton.

Mr. Bright—105.

Of Ludlow, Shropſhire. He retained his ſight and memory, and was well known by the nick-name of the *Second Old Parr*.

William

William Kellock—111.

Of Sanqubar, in Scotland. He ſerved the town as one of their common officers ninety-five years, enjoyed all his ſenſes, and never uſed ſpectacles.

William Price—105.

Of Colford, Glouceſterſhire. He was ſeventy-five years of age when he firſt married.

Mr. Brown—108.

Of Bowden, Cheſhire. He lived the whole time in the houſe in which he was born.

Mr. Norman—102.

Of Manchester.

Peter Meſtanea—130.

Of the village of Veniel, in the kingdom of Marcia. He was a batchelor, never taſted wine, worked hard, and bathed every morning in the river Segura, from the beginning of ſpring till it froze. His teeth were found, and he had never been attacked by any acute diſtemper.

James Jobſon—112.

Of Walderſhare, Kent, farmer. He had been

been married to ſeven wives, by whom he had nineteen ſons and nineteen daughters.

1744.

Mrs. Dewell—104.

Of Eagle-ſtreet, Red-Lion-ſquare, London.

Adam Turnbull—112.

Of Newcaſtle. He was able to walk twelve miles a day, till within three years of his death.

Sieur Daſon de Veger—118.

Of Lourday, in France. He married after he was one hundred years old, and rode a hunting but fifteen days before his death.

1746.

James Stroud—107.

Of Carſhalton, Surry, farmer. He left fifteen children, and enjoyed the perfect uſe of his ſenſes till a few days previous to his death.

Sir Henry Featherſtone, Bart.—100.

Near Bloomſbury-ſquare, London; a gentleman of vaſt wealth.

1747.

John Cuppage—104.

Formerly ſteward to Sir W. Pennington, Bart. of Mancaſter-hall, Drigg, Cumberland. He had four wives, and only four daughters, each of which had fourteen children, ſo at his death he was grandfather to fifty-ſix, great grandfather to nineteen, great great grandfather to eleven, and great great great grandfather to four. He retained his faculties in a remarkable degree, and expreſſed a wiſh to ſee an end to the rebellion, having been very active againſt the rebels, in 1715.

Ann Welding—113.

Of Northall, in the pariſh of Eddleſborough, Bucks.

William Catanack—119.

Of Pluſcardin, pariſh of Elgin, in the north of Scotland.

Jonas Surington—159.

Of Norway.

Hugh Rogerſon, Eſq.—102.

Of Cheſhire.

Mrs.

Mrs. Morſs—101.

Of Hoxton. She was in good health a few minutes before her death.

1748.

Rev. James Scott—100.

Of Sheldon-Moor, Kent; of which place he was rector above ſixty years.

John Huſſey—116.

Of Sydenham, Kent; formerly a farmer at Crawford. His breakfaſt was balm-tea, ſweetened with honey; and pudding for dinner, above fifty years; by which he acquired long and regular health.

Lewis Ayres, Eſq.—102.

Formerly a Barbary merchant.

James Colthurſt—105.

Clerk to Deptford-yard in five reigns.

Mrs. Adamſon—104.

Of Grange, Eſſex; a wealthy widow. She had five huſbands, and left ſixteen children, and thirty-four grandchildren.

1749.

Mr. Hare—117.

Of Stowe. He was in the ſervice of Lord Cobham's family upwards of eighty years. He enjoyed his ſight and hearing till a few weeks before his death.

Mrs. Bowles—124.

Of Weſt-Hanny, Berks, widow.

Mr. Creſſett—104.

Of Chatteſworth. He was bailiff in the Duke of Devonſhire's family ſeventy years.

Samuel Bliſs—102.

Of Springfield, in New England. He left ſix children, thirty-eight grandchildren, one hundred and fourteen great grandchildren, and ten great great grandchildren.

Alexander Bennet—125.

Of Down, in Ireland. He was a dragoon at the battle of Boddle, under King Charles II.

Joſeph Batteſworth Eſq.—130.

Near Truro, Cornwall.

Don

Don Lewis d'Acunha—105.

The Portugueſe embaſſador, at Paris.

Alice Atkinſon—109.

Of York.

Suſan Juett—112.

Of Greenwich.

Edward Willis, Eſq.—101.

Of the Charter-houſe, London; formerly page of the back ſtairs to King William and Queen Anne.

1750.

Mr. Lacoſta—106.

Of St. Martin's-ſtreet, Leiceſter-fields, London.

Mr. Diſdale—103.

Of Brick-lane, Spittlefields, London, weaver, which profeſſion he was able to follow till within a few years of his death.

Mrs. Scott—105.

Of Saliſbury, lace-maker.

Edward

Edward Colvill—105.

Father to the Counteſs of Tankerville.

Mr. Longworthy—103.

Of Southwark, currier.

Major Barnwell—110.

Of Killegrew-court, Scotland-yard, London.

Jonah Collins—112.

Of Havering, Eſſex; he left a ſon ſeventy years old, and a grandſon fifty.

Mark Street—101.

Of Saliſbury, collar-maker.

Robert M'Niſh, Eſq.—110.

Of Greenlock, in Scotland. He had, within a year of his deceaſe, mounted his horſe, and rode a hunting.

Jennet Vaughan—105.

Of Abercribbon, Brecknockſhire.

Patrick Benwell—114.

Of Killegrew-court, Whitehall.

Mrs.

Mrs. Braidford—109.

Of Edinburgh.

1751.

Edmund Palmer—102.

Penſioner of the Charter-houſe twelve years. He was formerly a wax chandler; and it is remarkable that he was born January 30, 1648, the very day that King Charles I. was beheaded.

Mrs. Wharton—108.

Of Marſham-ſtreet, Weſtminſter.

James Newton—100.

Warehouſe-keeper to the Eaſt India Company.

Nathaniel Whittle—103.

Of Barnaby-ſtreet, London; formerly a whitſter of linen in Eſſex.

Mrs. Gannet—112.

Of Wells, Somerſet, widow.

Mary How—112.

Of Mapleton, Derbyſhire, widow. Her death was occaſioned by pulling apples from a tree, a limb of which breaking, fell on her arm and broke it. About two years before, ſhe cut ſeveral new teeth, and her hair changed its colour.

Garrat Whitton—102.

Of Spittlefields, weaver. He never knew ſickneſs, and could read without ſpectacles to the time of his death, which was ſudden.

Lawrence Kinnenmont—111.

Near Perth, in Scotland. He was able to walk till within a few days of his death.

Suſannah Mackarny—120.

Of Dublin, a beggar woman. She retained all her faculties to the moment of her deceaſe. In different parts of her bed there was found concealed upwards of two hundred and fifty pounds in caſh.

William Kingsfutt—101.

Of Walderſhire, Kent.

John Chambers—100.

Of Portſmouth, fiſherman. At his interment, his corpſe was carried by ſix great grand-ſons, and his pall ſupported by ſix great grand-daughters, and was followed by his ſons and daughters, grand-ſons and grand-daughters, and great grand-ſons and great grand-daughters, and their children, two and two; in all ſeventy-two.

Grace

Grace Sundry—112.

Of Bewdly, Staffordſhire. She never was ill, and therefore never took any phyſic.

1752.

Mrs. Carpenter—102.

Of Iſlington. She ſubſiſted for many years on puddings and ſpoon diet.

Henry Townſon—100.

Bridget, his wife—100.

Of Seafield, Cumberland. It is a very remarkable circumſtance, that this ancient couple died within a few minutes of each other, after living together in conjugal felicity upwards of ſeventy years.

Robert Magrath—115.

Of Kilburrow, county of Clare, in Ireland. At the time of the reſtoration, he was a ſtudent at the Temple; had a daughter born in 1664, and another in 1737.

Jonathan Evans—117.

Near Welch Pool, Montgomeryſhire. He left a ſon aged ninety-one years, and a daughter eighty-ſeven.

Daniel Bull M'Carthy—111.

Of the county of Kerry, in Ireland. At the age of eighty-four he married a fifth wife, aged fourteen, and had by her twenty children, one every year; he was always very healthy, and never obſerved to ſpit; no cold affected him; he could not bear the warmth of a ſhirt at night, but put it under his pillow; for the laſt ſeventy years, when in company, he drank plentifully of rum and brandy, which he called *naked truth;* and if, in compliance with ſolicitations, he drank claret or punch, he always drank an equal glaſs of rum or brandy, which he called a *wedge.*

Elias Lane—110.

Of Thornford, near Sherborne.

Chriſtopher Crook—102.

Of Wallingford, Berks. He was a very free liver, but perfectly healthy to his death.

Iſabella Laughlin—118.

Near Rathfryland, county of Derry, in Ireland. She left children, grand-children, and great grand-children, to the number of one hundred and ten.

John

John Couſe—112.

Of Calvinſtown, county of Kildare, in Ireland. He was born in France, and bred a Proteſtant, but forced into the army of Louis XIV. and ſerved three campaigns in Flanders, then entered the Dutch ſervice, and came to Ireland, under the Duke of Schomberg; enliſted under King William, and diſtinguiſhed himſelf in moſt of the battles againſt King James II. for which he was well rewarded; then quitted the army, and took a farm. He left three ſons, the eldeſt near ſixty years old, and the youngeſt but twenty-two.

Clara Ædie—105.

Near Aberdeen, in Scotland.

1753.

Mary Jenkins—110.

Of Cloth-workers' alms-houſes, London: ſhe was never afflicted with illneſs, and died ſuddenly.

William Owen—108.

Of Pyr; of which place he was pariſh-clerk eighty-three years.

Mrs.

Mrs. Coxſon—117.

Of Rodgley, Derbyſhire, widow. She had one hundred and ſeventy-three children, grand-children, and great grand-children.

Mrs. Warren—104.

Of Derby.

Margaret Hunter—104.

Of Newcaſtle. Her beverage was moſtly water or milk, having never drank more than two gills of malt liquor.

Thomas Coward—114.

Of Kendal, Lancaſhire.

Don Andrew Bueno—124.

Of Badajoz, in Portugal. He was lieutenant of a regiment of foot for upwards of one hundred years, and always in ſervice.

Evan Peirce—120.

Of Dolgelly, in North-Wales, labourer.

Margaret Plantinet—108.

Of Bourdeaux, in France. She ſuckled twenty-two children herſelf; her father was one hundred

dred and one years old, and her mother one hundred and four.

Margaret Wylie—113.

Of Lidſdale, in Scotland.

Janet Gordon—101.

Of Aberdeen, in Scotland

Andrew Schmidt—124.

Of Teſchen, in Upper Sileſia.

Mr. Hobbs—107.

Of Briſtol, gardener.

John Lenſing—104.

Of Rotterdam. He was in all the expeditions of Admiral Ruyter.

Mrs. Smith—100.

Of Billinſgate.

Elizabeth Andrews—100.

Of Norwich hoſpital.

1754.

Mr. Curtis—102.

Father to Mr. Curtis, fiſhmonger, Newgate-ſtreet, London.

Rev.

Rev. Mr. Braithwaite—110.

Of Carliſle. He had been one hundred years in the cathedral, having commenced ſinging-boy in the year 1652.

Samſon Collins—114.

Of the Lizard, Cornwall. He poſſeſſed all his faculties perfect to the time of his diſſolution.

Rebecca Tullock—105.

Of Aberdeen, in Scotland.

Jane Laycock—106.

Of Kendal, Weſtmoreland. Only three weeks before her death, ſhe knit three pair of ſtockings in a week.

Mary Blanchard—104.

Of Champs Cremainville, in France.

Judith Baniſter—108.

Of Cowes, in the Iſle of Wight. She was attended to her grave by eighty of her deſcendants. She lived upon biſcuit and apples, with milk and water, the laſt ſixty years of her life.

1755.

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Peter Bryan—117.

Of Tynan, county of Tyrone, in Ireland; could read the ſmalleſt print without the aſſiſtance of a glaſs.

Mrs. Moore—104.

Of Birmingham.

John Lorkan—112.

Of Meelick, near Gallway, in Ireland.

James Whelan—108.

Of Birr, near Gallway, in Ireland.

Matthew Read—104.

Of Old Town, near Newcaſtle.

Thomas Marſhall—106.

Of Plymouth; formerly a drummer. Had been ninety years in the ſervice, and was the firſt man that beat the grenadier's march.

Sarah Baker—106.

Of Over, near Dorcheſter.

Mrs.

Mrs. Heywood—100.

Relict of Thomas Heywood, Esq. who was first page of the bed-chamber, and closet-keeper to King James II. whom he followed into exile, and whose attachment to that unfortunate prince continued unto his death. She was grand-niece to Archbishop Juxton.

Elizabeth Jones—102.

Of Ludlow, Shropshire. She could walk four miles at a time but a few weeks before her death, and always had her understanding perfect.

Eleanor Morgan—105.

Of Dublin.

Sir Patrick Grant, Bart.—101.

Of Dalvey, in Scotland.

James Berry—103.

Clerk of St. Werburgh-parish, Bristol.

Mrs. Cashing—104.

Of Ipswich, widow.

1756.

Mr. Eltoff—114.

Of Ladstone, Yorkshire.

John

John Mintern—101.

Of an alms-houſe in Saliſbury. His wife was ninety-nine years of age.

Margery Brider—113.

Of Willy, Shropſhire. She danced with the morris-dancers the year before her death.

Henry Collingwood—105.

Of Weſterhaugh, Northumberland.

John Phelan—112.

Of Kilkenny, in Ireland, tinker; at which employ he was able to work, and ſubſiſt by his labour, till he was one hundred and ſix years of age.

Major Wilkins—100.

Formerly a merchant. He was impriſoned in York-caſtle, for debt, fifty years.

Margaret Stephenſon—112.

Of Chapleburn, near Brampton, Cumberland. She enjoyed all her ſenſes perfect to the time of her deceaſe, and walked to bed the night before. Her two ſons, being together one hundred and ſeventy years of age, attended her funeral.

Rev.

Rev. Richard Hughes—107.

Of Moore, in Ireland.

Thomas Palliſer, Eſq.—107.

Of Porto-Bello, near Wexford, in Ireland. He was in the ſervice of King William and Queen Ann.

Hammond L'Eſtrange, Eſq.—107.

Of Bury, Suffolk, He was juſtice of the peace ſeventy years, and deputy-lieutenant of the county.

Mary Baily—104.

Of Mortlake, Surry.

Rev. Mr. Murthwaite—107.

Of Wigton, Cumberland.

Mr. Netherton—110.

Of Dublin. He ſerved King William in all the battles in Ireland.

Ann Maynard—112.

Of Finchley. She lived with moderation, and took much exerciſe.

1757.

Mrs. Lowther—106.

Great aunt to Sir James Lowther, Bart. and woman of the bed-chamber to Queen Mary.

William Sharply—138.

Of Knockall, county of Roſcomon. Though at ſuch great age, he was able to follow his profeſſion of lath-making, until within ſix weeks of his death, and was remarkable till then for carrying a log of uncommon bulk to his place of work. He lived well and regular, but in no wiſe abſtemiouſly.

Mrs. Taylor—103

Of Great-James-ſtreet, London.

John Walney—124.

Of Glaſgow, carpenter; he married eleven wives, all of whom he buried. He had ſeventeen children; five of them ſurvived him, whoſe ages together made three hundred and twenty-ſix years; he was ſeldom ill, and retained his ſenſes.

James Payzant, Eſq.—100.

Of Downing-ſtreet, London. He ſerved in the ſecretary's office ſeventy years.

Mrs.

Mrs. Pilkington—107

Of Biceſter, Yorkſhire.

Robert Parr—124.

Of Kinver, near Bridgworth, Shropſhire. He was great grand-ſon of the well-known Thomas Parr. The father of Robert was one hundred and nine years of age, and the grand-father one hundred and thirteen.

Neal M'Cloie—107.

Of Rothſay, in the iſland of Bute.

Alexander M'Cullock—132.

Near Aberdeen. He was a ſoldier in the ſervice of Oliver Cromwell, and the three following reigns.

Mr. Dobſon—104.

Of Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

Mrs. Fletcher—109.

Of Cuper, Fifeſhire, in Scotland.

Ann Gay—107.

Of Coomb Hay, near Bath.

Iſabel

Iſabel Darling—111.

Of Newcaſtle upon Tyne. She left a daughter eighty-eight years old.

John Stokes, Eſq.—100.

Of Eye, Suffolk.

John Effingham—104.

Near Penryn, Cornwall; formerly a ſoldier.

Bernard le Bovier de Fontenelle—100.

Son of François le Bovier de Fontenelle, advocate in the parliament of Rouen, and of Martha Corneille, ſiſter to the great dramatic poet, Corneille, was born at Rouen, Feb. 11, 1657; and though ſo weak at his birth that his life was not expected, yet he lived to the above great age. He was the firſt that introduced elegance into the ſciences. If he ſhould be ſometimes thought to have interwoven more beauties than the nature of the ſubject would admit, we muſt regard his compoſition as a plentiful crop, where flowers grow naturally among the corn. His natural talents were aſſiſted by a knowledge of the languages and hiſtory: and he certainly ſurpaſſes all men of learning, who have not had the gift of

inven-

invention. His converſation was lively, though placid, and his politeneſs was equal to his wit.

This great author died, without ever having had any violent diſorder, or felt any of the maladies of age, till he was turned of ninety; after which he was a little deaf, and his eyes, in ſome degree, failed. The tranquil eaſe of his temper is thought to have contributed to extend his life to this unuſual period.

He was dean of the French academy, and fellow of the Royal Society of London, and of the Royal Acadamy of Berlin.

Edward Abbot—104.

Of Stoke, near Nayland, Suffolk.

John Shepherd—109.

Of Tadcaſter, Yorkſhire.

Richard Wailles—100.

Of Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

James Wilſon—100.

Of Kendal, Lancaſhire.

Mary Davis—104.

Of St. George's workhouſe, London.

1758.

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Joseph Green—112.

Of Windsor, Berks. He was in full possession of his intellects till within two days of his death.

Mrs. Matthews—104.

Of Cambridge.

John Luckcombe—105.

Of Exeter.

David Grant—127.

Near Kinross, in Scotland. He was attended to his grave by one hundred and eighteen descendants.

James Graham—102.

Of Poplar; gunner of a man of war.

Janet Stewart—105.

Of Dull, Perthshire, in Scotland.

Mr. Tudor—104.

Warder of the Tower of London sixty-three years.

John Davis—112.

Of Ludlow, Shropſhire. He was a light dragoon in the Duke of Monmouth's rebellion.

Catharine Giles—122.

Of Glenwhorry, county of Belfaſt, in Ireland.

George Vance—119.

Of Clonſecle, county of Tyrone, in Ireland.

Nathaniel Wiley—106.

Of Clogh, near Ballymena, in Ireland.

Elizabeth Harriſon—104.

Of Bale, near Norwich.

John Dartel—110.

Of Bourdeaux, in France, gardener. At the age of eighty-ſix, he became blind; and at one hundred and ſix, recovered his ſight by couching.

John Sloane—101.

Of Scrabby, county of Cavan, in Ireland.

Mrs. Fairburn—112.

Houſekeeper in the biſhop of Wincheſter's family upwards of ſeventy years.

Patrick

Patrick O'Brian—114.

Of Meath, in Ireland, carpenter; which avocation he was able to purſue till within two years of his death.

1759.

M. Eſpagno—112.

Surgeon in a village of France; was ninety years of age when he had his firſt child by his ſecond wife.

Rachel Salomons—108.

A Jeweſs, at the Hague.

Mr. Bedell—100.

Of Old-ſtreet, London, ironmonger.

John Briſtow—101.

Of Grieſdale, Cumberland.

Lady Angelique Domengieux de Sempe—103.

Of Noniliac, in France. She had ſeveral new teeth when near ninety years of age.

John Laurence Gonzales—118.

Of Madrid.

James Sheile—136.

Of Bally Baden, county of Kilkenny, in Ireland, farmer.

Eve Schallerm—106.

Of Sorau, Lower Luſatia.

Elizabeth Owen—106.

Of Langharne, Carmarthenſhire.

Edward Murphy—110.

Of Birr, King's County, in Ireland.

Hannibal Camoux—121.

Of Marſeilles, labourer.

Alexander Stephens—108.

Of Barmffshire.

Janet Harper—107.

Of Bain's Hole, in Scotland.

Catharine Mackenzie—103.

Of Fowles-caſtle, Roſsſhire.

Janet Blair—112.

Of Monimuſk, Abérdeenſhire.

Donald

Donald Cameron—130.

Of Kinnichlabar, in Rannach, Scotland. He married at the age of one hundred.

William Barnes—109.

Of the county of Elgin, in Scotland; was a domeſtic in the Brodie family upwards of eighty years.

Mrs. Savory—104.

Of Old Palace Yard, London.

Mary Hall—105.

Of Biſhop-hill, the elder, in York; of which place ſhe was ſexton.

1760.

John Riva—116.

Of Venice, exchange-broker. He always chewed citron-bark, and had a child after he was one hundred years old.

Elizabeth Goffin—101.

Of Ormeſby St. Margaret, near Yarmouth. She had been blind thirty years.

James

James Griſt—108.

Of Bulford, Wilts, farmer.

David Lacy—112.

Of Limerick, in Ireland; never loſt a tooth.

Elizabeth Van Huyſter—115.

Of the Hague.

William Wright—105.

Of Great Dunmow, Eſſex, labourer. Seventeen children, thirty-ſix grand-children, and eleven great grand-children, followed his corpſe to the grave.

Elizabeth Beal—111.

Near Caſtle Howard, Cumberland.

Sarah Taylor—107.

Of Hareſield, Glouceſterſhire.

John Erneſt Jonge—106.

Of the pariſh of Roholt, in Zealand.

Henry Bourk—107.

Of the county of Galway, in Ireland.

Sarah

Sarah White—106.

Of Breary, near Leeds, Yorkſhire.

James M'Donald—117.

Of Corke. This man might have been truly called a ſingular character, not only for great longevity, but for heighth, being no leſs than ſeven feet ſix inches.

Elizabeth Hilton—121.

Of Liverpool, widow.

Elizabeth Hodgſon—110.

Of Scampſton, near York.

Alexander Roach—110.

Of Glaſganny, in the county of Carlow; formerly a ſoldier.

Hon. Lady Amelia Butler—100.

She was ſiſter to the Duke of Ormond, and Earl of Arran, and the laſt ſurvivor of that family.

Jane Gray—109.

Of Aythorp Rooding, Eſſex.

1761.

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Jane Wilks—101.

An Engliſh lady, at Bononia, in Italy.

George Lehman—111.

Of Camentz, in Upper Luſatia; was never ſick until the time of his death.

Captain Bromfiſh—112.

Of Koningſberg, in Pruſſia; he had been in that ſervice ninety-three years.

Mrs. Clifton—103.

An Engliſh lady; dame of honour to the Queen of King James II. in France.

Charles Cotterel—120.

His wife—115.

Of Philadelphia. This couple lived together in the marriage ſtate ninety-eight years, in great union and harmony, and died within four days of each other.

William Carver Marsfield—102.

Of Boſton, in New England.

Charles

Charles Broomgood—103.

Of Nancy, in Lorrain, phyſician.

Humphrey Saunders—106.

Of Chaldon, near Godſtone, Surry, farmer.

Mr. Hapgood—101.

Near Croydon, Kent, farmer.

Ann Tyler—101.

Of Bewdly, Worceſterſhire.

M. Klauk—104.

His wife—102.

Of the village of Trependorff, in Upper Luſatia. Both died in the ſame year.

Elizabeth Williams—103.

Of Wrexham, Denbighſhire.

Mrs. Dallet—103.

Widow of the Sieur Dallet, an advocate of Boulogne, in France.

Jane Atkins—100.

Of York.

James

James Bemerteau—105.

Of the dioceſe of Lacon, in France. His father was one hundred and ſeven.

Sarah Hooper—105.

Of Exeter; a maiden lady.

Iſaac Duberdo—108.

Of Clithero, Lancaſhire.

Patrick M'Ewan—109.

Of Fordie, Perthſhire, in Scotland.

Mrs. Gillam—113.

Of Alderſgate-ſtreet, London.

Peter Champagne—100.

Of Mayac, in Perigord, in France.

William Bruguier—103.

Of Berlin; a French refugee.

Joſeph Standley—106.

Of Aſton, near Birmingham.

Robert Arnot—100.

Of Fifeſhire, in Scotland.

Jean

Jean Jacquement—107.

Of Barrois, county of Bourbon, in France; of which place he was curate ſeventy-five years.

Edward Wilks—109.

Of Boſton, in New England, merchant.

Mrs. Norton—109.

Near Athy, county of Kildare, in Ireland; retained her vivacity to the laſt; and at the age of one hundred and four, danced at the wedding of one of her great grand-children.

John Ray—110.

Of Wanſton, near Sutton, Hants.

John Newell, Eſq.—127.

Of Michael's Town, in Ireland. He was grand-ſon to the well-known Thomas Parr.

Edward Moore—100.

Of Greenwich hoſpital.

Mary Fox—101.

Of Keynſham, near Briſtol.

Eliza-

Elizabeth Wilcock—104.

Of Lancaſter.

Cornelius Newton—103.

Of Bromyard, Herefordſhire.

Durant de Puy—105.

Of Auch, in France.

James Carlewhite—110.

Of Sea Town, in Scotland.

John Lyon—116.

Of Brandon, county of Cork, in Ireland. He was born at Londonderry, and was preſent at all King William's wars in Ireland.

Richard Aylmer, Eſq.—102.

Of Chapel Izod, near Dublin; a captain in the ſervice of King Charles and King James.

Iſaac Thornton—102.

Of Southwark, ſhoemaker.

Henry Fleet—106.

Of Ely, Cambridgeſhire.

John

John Williamſon—101.

Of Penny-bridge, Lancaſhire.

Ann Waite—106.

Of St. Clement's alms-houſe, London.

Mrs. Rogers—107.

Of Wrexham, Denbighſhire, widow.

William Marſh—111.

Of Liverpool, pavior.

Sarah Brown—112.

Of South Waltham, Norfolk.

Mrs. Otherley—114.

Of Naples.

Francis Watkins—102.

Of Trevethin, Monmouthſhire.

Jeanne Prudhomme—103.

Near Guiſe, in France.

Mrs. Poſt—105.

Of Great Cheverell, Wilts.

Simeon

Simeon Aubert—106.

Of Autreville, in France.

Barbe Semperin—106.

Of Vienna.

Jane Lindow—109.

Of Jerſey.

James Stackſby—109.

Of Wedgebury, Staffordſhire.

Daniel Ammyer—114.

Of Groſxieteen, belonging to the French colony. He ſerved in France, Sweden, and for the Emperor; enjoyed perfect health, until within a fortnight of his death.

Elizabeth Marchant—133.

Of Hamilton-Baun, in Ireland.

Mrs. Caleb—106.

Of St. Martin's, Glouceſter.

Mrs. Roberts—107.

Of Wraxham, Denbighſhire, in Wales, widow.

Peter Campbell—108.

Of Glaſgow.

Francis

Francis Atkins—104.

Porter at the palace-gate, at Saliſbury, from the time of Biſhop Burnet. It was his office every night to wind up the clock, which he was capable of performing till within a year of his deceaſe, though on the ſummit of the palace: in aſcending the ſtairs, he uſually made a halt to ſay his prayers. He commonly enjoyed good health, by regular living and exerciſe; walked well, and was remarkably upright to the laſt.

Bertrand de Puy—109.

Of Auch, in France.

1762.

William Maple, Eſq.—101.

Of Dublin.

John Rider—110.

Of Greenhill, near Dublin.

Thomas Nixon—108.

Of Newlands, Cumberland.

Catherine Brebner—124.

Near Aberdeen, in Scotland.

John Noon—129.

Of the county of Galway, in Ireland.

Gaſpard

Gaſpard Balcke—113.

Of Teifenau, near Groſſenhayn; had his firſt child at eighty-five years of age.

Joſeph Rogers—103.

Of the Iſle of Man.

Elizabeth Pearcy—104.

Of Elell, Lancaſhire.

Robert Laurence—100.

Of Giſborough, Yorkſhire; he was married four times.

Elizabeth Smith—111.

Of Hipley, Derbyſhire.

Elizabeth Storey—103.

Of Garſtang, Lancaſhire.

Mary Punch—105.

Of Perſhore, Worceſterſhire.

Mrs. Robertſon—107.

Of Petty France.

Mrs. Knight—100.

Of Norwich.

Agnes

Agnes Chriſtie—104.

Of Aberdeenſhire, in Scotland.

Mrs. Baker—101.

Of Old Samford, Eſſex.

Catharine Brebner—124.

Of Aberdeenſhire, in Scotland.

Thomas Batker—101.

Of Bethnal-green.

Mr. Stephens—102.

Of Moulſey.

Mr. Leggatt—100.

Of Hamnel, Norfolk, corn-factor.

Timothy Omara—100.

Of Birr, in Ireland.

Mrs. Pope—106.

Of Burſtock, Dorſetſhire, relict of the Rev. Mr. Pope.

Mrs. Hill—100.

Of Fetter-lane, London.

Donald M'Donald—110.

Of Aix-la-Chapelle.

Jane Bunlow—109.

Of Bremen, in Germany.

Thomas Shortall, Eſq.—104.

Of Landreci, in Flanders; a native of Kilkenny, in Ireland; was lieutenant colonel of the Iriſh brigades in France.

M. Actema—106.

Of Turnus, in France.

Mr. Barnard—102.

Of Great-Wild-ſtreet, London, uphoſterer.

Aleſandrina Fatio—104.

Of Geneva.

Eady Haddum—114.

Of St. Chriſtopher's work-houſe, near the Bank, London. She had been an inhabitant there fifty years.

Touiſſan

Touiſſant Maratrai—112.

Of Dijon, in France. At the age of ſeventy-five, he married his ſecond wife, by whom he had children. He was a labouring man, and always enjoyed a good ſtate of health.

Robert Oglebie—115.

Of Rippon, Yorkſhire, a travelling tinker; born Nov. 6, 1647, as appears by the regiſter of Rippon; married ſeventy-three years, and had twelve ſons and thirteen daughters; had all his ſenſes perfect, and could ſee to work a ſhort time before his death. His wife lived to be one hundred and ſix years old.

1763.

Rev. Mr. Crook—100.

Of Brinkworth, Wilts; of which pariſh he was rector.

Mrs. Halford—110.

Of Wiptaſh, Warwickſhire.

Mr. Hill—103.

Of Banbury, Oxfordſhire.

Mr. Blockſum—103.

Of Preſtbury, Glouceſterſhire.

Mr. Heron—110.

Of Felton, Northumberland.

Thomas Sprat—115.

Of Haltwhiſtle, Northumberland. His faculties were ſo ſtrong, that he could ſing a ſong a little before his death.

Monſieur Fontaine—103.

Of Geneva.

William Haſeling—112.

Of Chelſea-college.

Elizabeth Sumner—102.

Of Greenhithe, near Dartford.

Ann Kerney—120.

Of Red-Lion-ſtreet, London.

Mrs. Aſhton—103.

Of St. Paul's Church-yard, London.

Mr. Wickſtead—108.

Of Wigan, Lancaſhire, farmer.

Richard Teaſdale—103.

Of Slealey, Northumberland.

Peter

Peter Campbell—108.

Of Glaſgow, in Scotland.

James Martin, Eſq.—112.

Of Ballynahinch, in Ireland.

Evan Owens—100.

Of Denbigh.

Mrs. Eſh—100.

Of Agnes Burton, Yorkſhire. A few days before her death ſhe prepared every thing for her funeral.

John Dwyer—115.

Of Ballinderry, in Ireland.

Thomas Jackſon—104.

Of Penny-bridge, Lancaſhire.

Mrs. Blakeſley—108.

Of Preſcot, Lancaſhire.

Alice Wilſon—111.

Of Newburgh, Northumberland.

Mr. King—103.

Of King-ſtreet, Weſtminſter.

Margaret

Margaret Kraſiowna—108.

Of the village of Koninia, in Poland. At the age of ninety-four, ſhe married her third huſband, Gaſpard Raykott, of the village of Ciwouſzin, then aged one hundred and five; during the fourteen years they lived together, they had two boys and one girl; and what is very remarkable, theſe three children bore evident marks of the old age of their father and mother, their hair being grey, and a vacuity in their gums like that which appears after the loſs of the teeth, though they never had any; they had not ſtrength enough to chew ſolid food, but lived on bread and vegetables; they were a proper ſize for their age, but their backs were bent, their complexions were ſallow, and they had all the other ſymptoms of decrepitude. Though moſt of theſe particulars may appear fabulous, they are certified by the pariſh regiſters: the village of Ciwouſzin is in the diſtrict of Stenzick, in the palatinate of Sendomir. *Gaſpard Raykott*, the father, died ſoon after, aged one hundred and nineteen.

Mrs. Nicholſon—106.

She was daughter-in-law of Dr. Nicholſon, Biſhop of Carliſle.

Lady

Lady Clinton—103.

Of Boulogne, in France; maid of honour to the Queen of King Charles II. and King James II.

Rachael Wetherby—110.

Near Stockton, Durham.

William Pickworth—102.

Of Germains, near Lynn, Norfolk.

John Baxant—102.

Of Luxfield, Suffolk.

John Bates—103.

Near Wem, Shropshire.

Mr. Hopgood—101.

Near Crayford, Kent, farmer.

James Barton—106.

Of Orton, Suffolk.

Mr. Osbaldeston—115.

Near Whaly, Lancashire.

Edward Wilkes—109.

Of Boston, merchant.

Celia Sims—107.

Of Milford-lane.

Elizabeth Club—100.

Of Barking, Eſſex.

John Waters—106.

Of Wells, Somerſetſhire.

Rev. Peter Alley—111.

Of Dunamoni in Ireland; of which place he was vicar ſeventy-three years: he did the duty of his church until within a few days of his death. He was twice married, and had thirty-three children.

Jane Gray—100.

Of Wem, Shropſhire. She left her huſband, a ſhepherd, aged ninety-eight years.

Mary Iſles—104.

Of Hanham, Glouceſterſhire. Her ſiſter died about five years before, aged one hundred and five.

Mary Fox—101.

Of Keynſham, Somerſet.

Baron

Baron de Weſſeſtein—100.

Governor of Bon. He ſerved at the ſiege of Vienna, in 1683.

Mr. Goring—102.

Of Chertſey, grazier.

Peter Schurman—113.

Of Groningen, in Holland.

Jane Blake—114.

Of North-Leeds, Yorkſhire.

George Wilſon—104.

Of Allenton, Northumberland.

Nicholas Gallagher—113.

Of Caſtle-Knock, in Ireland.

Thomas Hopgood—100.

Of Marlborough, in New England; had nine children, ninety-two grand-children, two hundred and eight great grand-children, and four great great grand-children; in all three hundred and thirteen deſcendants.

Mr.

Mr. Wallace—112.

Of Paris.

Jane Owen—101,

Of Cricklade, Wilts.

John Brown—109.

Of Tinnode, county of Dublin.

This year, in the dioceſe of Aggerhus, in Norway, among other ſingularities, were reckoned one hundred and fifty married couples, who had lived together upwards of eighty years, conſequently the greater number, if not all, were upwards of one hundred years of age.

Seventy other married couples, who had lived together ninety years and upwards; who muſt therefore have been all upwards of one hundred and five.

Twelve marriages, from one hundred to one hundred and five years ſtanding; ſo that the perſons muſt have been, on an average, one hundred and ſeventeen.

And another, of no leſs than one hundred and ten years ſtanding; the couple muſt have been each not leſs than one hundred and twenty-four.

John

John Michaelſtone—127.

Grand-ſon of Thomas Parr; he lived to the above great age by extreme temperance, and much exercife.

Mr. Hill—103.

Of Banbury, Oxfordſhire.

Mary Gummerſall—107.

Near Wakefield, Yorkſhire. She was mother to fourteen children, grand mother to thirty-three, great grand-mother to eighty-four, and great great grand-mother to twenty-five; in all one hundred and fifty-ſix deſcendants.

James Baker—106.

Of Orton, Suſſex.

1764.

Mary Blaſgrave—106.

Of Oxford. She lived a widow eighty-five years.

Mrs. Lane—107.

Of Norton, Gloucefterſhire.

Eliza-

Elizabeth Cave—100.

Miſtreſs of St. Luke's work-houſe, London.

William Taylor—102.

Of Baſingſtoke, Hants.

James Wark—106.

Of Belfaſt, in Ireland.

Elizabeth M'Neal—107.

Of Dublin.

Elizabeth Grieig—109.

Beggar-woman at Leith. She was able to travel till near the time of her death.

Peter Martin—113.

Of Auvergne, in France.

Mrs. Clifford—117.

Of Wexford, in Ireland.

Elizabeth Taylor—131.

Of Piccadilly, London.

Peter Nielſen—115.

Of Copenhagen.

Mrs.

Mrs. Smith—100.

Of Hemel-Helmſted, Herts.

Alice Foot—100.

Of Cottenham, Cambridgeſhire.

John Rogers—103.

A Chelſea penſioner.

Margaret Cooper—105.

Of Deſkie, in Scotland.

Faith Ginger—108.

Of Wingrave, Bucks.

Elizabeth Elſden—106.

Near Morpeth, Northumberland. Her huſband died a few months before, aged one hundred and four years.

Mary Redmond—103.

Of Dublin.

Joanna Freeman—107.

Of Clerkenwell, London.

Ephraim Randall—109.

Of Morpeth, Northumberland.

Suſan

Suſan Devon—104.

Of Park-ſtreet, Southwark.

Chriſtopher Ximenes—110.

Of Cadiz.

George Kirton, Eſq.—125.

Of Oxnop-hall, Yorkſhire. He was a moſt remarkable fox-hunter, following the chace on horſeback, till he was eighty years of age: from that period to one hundred years he regularly attended the unkennelling the fox in his ſingle chair; and no man, till within ten years of his death, made more free with his bottle.

Mrs. Morgan—100.

Of St. James's-ſtreet, Weſtminſter; aunt to Sir John Croſs.

Mrs. Martin—100.

Of St. James's-ſtreet, Weſtminſter.

Mr. Stephenſon—101.

Of Camberwell, Surry.

Mr. Lock—100.

Of Broughton-Boys, Oxfordſhire.

Mary

Mary Francis—102.

Of Moorfields, London.

Eleanor Hunt—103.

Of Lydd, Kent.

Mrs. Pelican—105.

Of Cork.

Matthew Hubert—121.

Of Birr, in Ireland.

Owen Carollan—127.

Of Duleek, county of Meath, in Ireland, labourer; had ſix fingers on each hand, and ſix toes on each foot. By temperance and hard labour, he attained ſo great an age.

Mrs. Carter—104.

Of Dublin.

Mr. Pring—102.

Of Little-Brickhill, Bucks.

David Evans—114.

Penſioner of Greenwich hoſpital.

James

James Roberts—113.

Of Penny-bridge, Lancaſhire.

Jacob Meyer—115.

Of Berne, in Switzerland.

Ralph Hart—115.

Of Newcaſtle.

Robert Maber—104.

Of Frampton, Dorſetſhire, batchelor. His life had been in an eſtate ever ſince the year 1663.

John Bourke—112.

Of the Iſle of Man.

John Jackſon—113.

Of Exeter, gardener.

John Rudge—107.

Of Newent, Glouceſterſhire.

Mr. Brett—115.

Of Mallow, in Ireland.

1765.

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Ann Hart—102.

Of Bethnal-green, London; a widow lady.

Janet Anderſon—102.

Of Newington, Middleſex. Her life was regular and moderate; ſhe was remarkably active, and able to perform her work, ſpinning, though at ſuch great age, to near the time of her death. Her faculties were very ſtrong to the laſt.

Joſeph Famagello—103.

Of Milan, in Italy.

Elizabeth Home—104.

Of St. James's work-houſe, London.

Louiſa Villiet—105.

Of Mirabel, in France.

John Dowſe—106.

Near Louth, Lincolnſhire.

Mary Andrews—107.

Of St. Olave's workhouſe, Southwark.

Mary Benbowe—103.

Of Middleton-Cheney.

Mrs. Lamb—100.

Of Kennington-lane, Surry.

Ann Wilſon—110.

Near Aſton, Cumberland.

Dominick Joyce—120.

Of Carrowbeg, in Ireland.

Rev. Mr. Deere—102.

Of Penline-court, Glamorganſhire.

Judith Cooley—116.

Of the county of Dublin.

William Vandeleur—112.

Of Amſterdam, ſhoemaker.

Mrs. Deverell—105.

Of Wells, Somerſet.

John

John Edwards—105.

Of Baſingſtoke, Hants, ploughman.

George Mearton—118.

Of Overyſſel, in Holland, fiſherman.

Jaſper Dickſon—103.

Near Godalmin, Surry. He left a wife aged one hundred years.

Mr. Plackett—102.

Of Breaſton, near Derby.

Thomas Gibbons—104.

Of Kingſbridge, Devon.

John Brickley—102.

Of the Park, Southwark, brazier.

Hugh Martin—109.

Near Haltwiſtle, Northumberland.

Elizabeth Macpherſon—117.

Of the county of Caithneſs, in Scotland. Her diet was butter-milk and greens; ſhe retained all her ſenſes till within three months of her death.

Mrs. Burton—100.

Of Muleck, county of Clare, in Ireland.

Mrs. Carter—101.

Of Waltham-Abbey, Eſſex; could walk five or ſix miles a day with eaſe, till within a few months of her death.

Margaret Green—102.

Of Durham.

Mr. Southby—102.

Of Abington-buildings; gardener to the abbey.

Mrs. Allen—103.

Of the Bowling-green, Southwark.

Jane Talbot—105.

Of Oakſey, near Malmſbury.

John Dixey—102.

Near Cirenceſter, ſhoemaker.

Jane Hogarth—106.

Of Hexham, Northumberland.

Jane

Jane Thompſon—108.

Near Sudbury, Suffolk. Her huſband died a few years before, aged one hundred.

Jane Fordyke—102.

Of Eaſt-Smithfield, London.

Mrs. Moore—120.

Of Enneſkellan, in Scotland.

Mrs. Carter—104.

Of Dublin.

Mr. Gaulteer—102.

Of Spitalfields, London.

Thomas Grant—111.

Of Norfolk.

Edglebert Hoff—128.

Of Fiſh-hill, near New York. He was born in Norway, and could remember that he was a lad driving a team, when the news was brought to that country, that King Charles I. was beheaded. He ſerved as a ſoldier under the Prince of Orange, in the time of King James II.

Eleanor

Eleanor Anderſon—107.

Of Shield Dykes, near Alnwick.

Mr. Glover—104.

Of Tarbuck, Lancaſhire.

William Whitehurſt—107.

Of Indian-Creek, in Virginia. He ſerved in the militia in every reign from King Charles II. to the acceſſion of King George III.

Jurgen Nielſon—119.

Of Zealand.

1766.

Judith Reverty—110.

Of Armagh, in Ireland.

Mr. Mellener—101.

Of Ipſwich, butcher.

William Cribbridge—100.

Of South-Wraxall.

Moſes Gonzara—114.

Of Amſterdam, a Popiſh prieſt; ſold toys in that city.

James

James Mackay—120.

Near Cardigan. He ſeldom was ill, and though at ſuch great age, retained his ſenſes to the day of his death.

Dorothy Froſt—105.

Of Fallowfield lead-mines, near Hexham, Northumberland,

John Powell—105.

Near Raynham, Norfolk. He was a plough-man, and followed that employ eighty-eight years.

Thomas Winſlow, Eſq.—146.

Of the county of Tipperary, in Ireland. He was a colonel in the army. He held the rank of a captain in the reign of King Charles I. and accompanied Oliver Cromwell into Ireland.

Mr. Dobſon—139.

Of Hatfield, farmer. By much exerciſe and temperate living he preſerved the ineſtimable bleſſing of health. Ninety-one children and grand-children attended his funeral.

Matthew Richardſon—111.

Of Ogle, Northumberland.

Mrs.

Mrs. Doe—104.

Of Thorndon, Suffolk.

Sarah Butters—100.

Of Harlſton, Norfolk.

John Heather—105.

Of Sunderland.

Mrs. Hewetſon—116.

Of Houghton-le-Spring, Northumberland.

Sanches Jurado—119.

Of Malaga, in Spain.

Simon Holly—119.

Of Olmutz, in Moravia.

J. Simpſon—112.

Near Knareſborough, Yorkſhire.

Jane Iſles—106,

Of Hanham, Glouceſterſhire.

Ann Armſtrong—107.

Of Aldbrough, near Richmond, Yorkſhire.

Mar-

Margaret Hewett—101.

Of Well-alley, Wapping Dock: ſhe acquired one thouſand pounds by ſelling milk.

Chriſtopher Schroder—106.

Of Stainbeck, near Hamburgh; was a ſoldier at the battle of Hockſted.

Frances Mazzini—105.

Near Piſa, in Italy.

Mrs. Adams—104.

Of St. Martin's work-houſe, London.

James Mexley—100.

Of Iſlington, near London.

Captain Butler—103.

A relation of the Duke of Ormond.

Mrs. Grey—104.

Of Tothill-fields, London.

John Hayne—105.

Of Whitney, Oxfordſhire.

Anne Arnold—102.

Of Evercreech, Somerſet.

Alex-

Alexander Robertſon—107.

Of Edinburgh.

Eleanor Price—108.

Of Marybone.

Sarah Chapel—104.

Of Witſey work-houſe, Yorkſhire.

Judith Barker—103.

Of Blackfriar's work-houſe, London.

Margaret Thomas—105.

Of Barnſtaple, Devon.

John Robiſon—103.

Of Great-Whittington, Northumberland.

John de la Somet—130.

Of Virginia. He was a great ſmoker of tobacco, which, agreeing with his conſtitution, may not improbably be reckoned the cauſe of his uninterrupted health and longevity.

Magdalen Riſtori—110.

Near Florence.

Mr.

Mr. Williamſon—102.

Of Piccadilly, London.

Mary Jones—102.

Of Market-lane, St. James's, London.

Daniel Betton—117.

Of the Orkneys.

Solomon Emmanuel—109.

A Jew, of Moravia, at the Hague; left ſixty-ſeven deſcendants.

John King—130.

Of Nokes, Cambridgeſhire; was ſeldom ill, and, by great care of his health, attained ſo great an age.

Phineas Monſeca—109.

Of Algiers, in Barbary.

John Rimmoni—115.

Of Friefland, in Holland.

Margaret Bartlemer—102.

Of Leeds, Yorkſhire.

Mrs.

Mrs. Hunter—109.

Of Chelſea.

Jane Fordyke—102.

Of Eaſt-Smithfield, London.

Rev. Mr. Hickford—100.

Of Springfield.

John Haynes—120.

Of Witney, Oxfordſhire, ſhoe-maker.

Mary Cantleof—104.

Of Freſhford, Somerſet.

Edmund Branagh—115.

Near Wicklow, in Ireland.

Mrs. Newman—105.

Of Harlaxton, Lincolnſhire.

Mrs. Gooſtrie—104.

Of Tothill-fields, London.

Richard Matherman—102.

Of Ripley, Yorkſhire.

Mar-

Margaret Pullen—100.

Of Antigua. She was grand-daughter of the Duke of Ormond.

Roger Dove—102.

Elizabeth, his wife—100.

Of Newcaſtle. They died within forty-eight hours of each other, and were interred in the ſame grave.

Mrs. Froſt—105.

Of Fallow-field lead mines.

Rev. Mr. Sarlsfield—106.

Of Cork.

John Polwell—105.

Of Rainham, Norfolk.

Ann Johnſon—102.

Of Aldbrough, near Richmond, Yorkſhire.

Peter Le Grand—115.

Of Caen, in Normandy.

Ann

Ann Jones—104.

Of St. Martin's work-houſe in the Fields, London.

Ann Gilbert—104.

Of Blackfriar's, London.

Mary Humphrey—102.

Of Ricklington, Northumberland.

James Lyndſey—103.

Of Plumſtead, Kent; formerly a ſoldier in the ſervice of King Charles II.

Anne Blakeſly—102.

Of the Strand, London.

Ann Williams—102.

Of the Hay-market, London.

Daniel Pratt—102.

Of Caverſham, Oxfordſhire.

Mrs. Symonds—107.

Of Corfe-caſtle.

Jane Robbins—100.

Of Stoke-lane, Somerſet.

Mrs.

Mrs. Lent—112.

Of Downham-Market, Norfolk.

1767.

Mary Wiggins—109.

Of Sherborne, Oxfordſhire.

Mary Holt—108.

Of Wem, Shropſhire.

Thades Hynes—105.

Of Cork, in Ireland.

John Wood—102.

Of Yorkſhire.

Mary Bielby—107.

Of New Malton.

John Richardſon—101.

Of Newcaſtle.

Elizabeth Fennel—100.

Of Chick-lane, London.

George Gibbons—104.

Of Knightbridge, Devon.

Sarah

Sarah Proſſen—102.

Of Oxford road, London; ſhe accumulated the ſum of ten thouſand pounds by pawn-broking.

Mrs. Toite—102.

Of Camberwell, Surry.

Jane Ireton—103.

Of St. Andrews's work-houſe, London.

Mrs. Pymm—100.

Of Chancery-lane, London, widow.

Mr. Cockey—100.

Of Warminſter, Wilts.

Mary Finlater—113.

Of Wigtown, in Scotland.

Jane Staples—106.

Of Hampſtead, Middleſex.

Elizabeth Maſon—104.

Of Hales-owen.

John King—105.

Of Stratford upon Avon.

Nicholas

Nicholas Dufrenois—101.

Of Berieux, in the dioceſe of Lacon; married at ſeventy-five, had ſix children, and was never ill.

Rev. Mr. Patterſon—100.

Of Footſcray.

Baroneſs Paſſarini—108.

Of Rome.

Elizabeth Wilſon—122.

Of Maidſton, Northampton.

John Mitchel—100.

Of Great-Bercham, Norfolk.

René de Triſſonier—103.

Of Bouchain, in France.

John Hill—130.

Of Lead-hills, near Edinburgh. He uſed great exerciſe on foot, and walked two miles to a chriſtening a ſhort time before his death.

Jane Wilſon—101.

Of Newſteads, Northumberland.

Robert Cumming—116.

Of the Royal-hoſpital, Chelſea; was a dragoon in King William's army.

Mr. Mathard—102.

Of Oxford-road, London, ſurgeon.

Peter Stewart—103.

Near Ayr, in Scotland.

Francis Monno—120.

Of the village of Caſtro, in Spain.

John Ubers—106.

Of Amſterdam, printer.

Gerrard Lamb—103.

Of Madras.

Mrs. Waters—103.

Of Saffron-hill.

Lady Dupin—101.

Of Dupin, in France.

Poor Joe All-Alone—105.

A poor man of Ware, Hertfordſhire, well known by the above nick-name; and ſaid not to have been in bed for fifty years.

Edward

Edward Norris—103.

Of Virginia. He was pilot ſeventy years within the Capes.

Benjamin Perryn—103.

Of Oxford-road, London.

Mrs. Darby—105.

Of Great Harlock.

Mrs. Fulcher—100.

Of Sunbury, Middleſex.

Francis Ange—134.

Of Maryland. He was born at Stratford upon Avon, Warwickſhire. He remembered the death of King Charles I. and left England ſoon after; his wife at eighty had a ſon, who was thirty-one years of age at his father's deceaſe, to which time his faculties were perfect, and memory ſtrong.

John James—101.

Of Abinghall, Glouceſterſhire.

John Haynes—105.

Of Wootton-Baſſet, Wilts.

Downs Twyford, Esq.—100.

Of Greenwich.

Robert Forreſt—100.

Of Cobham, Surry.

Elizabeth Parker—103.

Near Moorfields, London. When young, ſhe was ſtolen by two beggars, who, among other acts of barbarity, put out her eyes to move compaſſion.

Ann Louiſa Allard—117.

Of Paris.

George Wilford—100.

Of Penny-bridge, Lancaſhire.

David Chambers—100.

Of Hexham, Northumberland, weaver; formerly a ſoldier.

Abel Gerbrands—118.

Of Groningen, in Holland, wheelwright; a very laborious man.

Mary Thomas—102.

Of Poplar.

William

William Maſſenger—102.

Of Gray's-inn-lane, London, coach-maker.

William Rogers—105.

Of Penny-bridge, Lancaſhire.

Simon Gilliwray—113.

Of the iſland of St. Kilda; from which he was never abſent.

Darby Neale—117.

Of Shibbereen, near Dingle, in Ireland.

John Saunders—107.

His wife—105.

Both of Shropſhire; were ſupported by charity, and died in the ſame year.

Mr. Wood—100.

Of Thackham-court, Chandois-ſtreet, London.

Mr. Price—111.

His wife—107.

Of Ledbury, Herts; died within a few months of each other.

Margaret

Margaret Edwards—118.

Of Berriew, Montgomeryſhire.

Martin Fountain—110.

Of the iſland of Jerſey; from which he was never abſent.

George Moore—110.

Of Alceſton, Worceſterſhire, ſhoemaker; ſurvived nine wives; his laſt wife was one hundred years of age.

John King—130.

Of Noke, Cambridgeſhire.

Mary Symmonds—106.

Of Corfe-caſtle.

Mary Bate—104.

Of King's Norton, Warwickſhire.

Gerard Lawl—103.

Of Madras.

John Foſter—101.

Near Carliſle.

James

James Frazer—104.

Of Elgin, in Scotland.

Thomas Johnſon—105.

Of Newbiggin.

Elizabeth Harwood—102.

Of Whitchurch, Shropſhire. At the time of her death, her huſband, a ſhepherd, was living, aged ninety-eight years.

Mrs. Heckings—100.

Of Chertſey; a widow lady.

Margaret Thomas—105.

Near Barnſtaple, Devon.

Thomas Probyn—103.

Chief of Coningſbury hoſpital, Hereford.

Mary Tufton—109.

Of Nantwich, Cheſhire.

1768.

Alice Dunn—102.

Of Rathcoſſy, county of Kildare, in Ireland.

Philip

Philip Laroque—102.

Of Frie, in Gaſcony, butcher. At the age of ninety-two he cut four large teeth, was drunk regularly twice a week till he was one hundred years old, and worked hard to the time of his death.

Francis Conſit—150.

Of Burythorpe, near Malton, Yorkſhire. He was very temperate in his living, and uſed great exerciſe, which, together by occaſionally eating a raw new-laid egg, enabled him to attain ſuch extraordinary age; for the laſt ſixty years of his life, he was ſupported by the pariſh, and retained his ſenſes to the laſt.

Jane Holt—108.

Near Ellefmeer, Shropſhire.

Sarah Pinſon—106.

Of Tunbridge, Kent, widow.

Robert Anderſon—100.

On the Tweed, in Scotland, malſter.

Thomas Holme—107.

Near Lumly-caſtle.

Mary

Mary Symmonds—107.

Of Corfe-caſtle, in the Iſle of Purbeck.

Mr. Connolly—107.

Of Dublin.

Solomon Humphries—106.

Of Old-ſtreet, London; was blind the laſt ten years, and ſupported by charity.

Eſther Duggan—119.

Near Drumcondra, in Ireland.

Colonel Macnamara—102.

Of Bruſſels; a native of Ireland.

Philip Maquire—107.

Of Long-acre, London, brandy-merchant.

Elizabeth Stoneham—113.

Of the village of Chickley, Berks.

John Pearce—103.

Of Weſtbury-green, Eſſex, farmer.

Peter Magee—102.

Of Whitehaven, Cumberland; had eight wives, twenty-eight ſons, and four daughters.

Arthur

Arthur Jackſon—107.

Of Hartley, Eſſex, ploughman. His wife died ſoon after, having been married eighty-one years, and never had a child, aged one hundred and three years.

Martin Riley—104.

Of Banbury-ſtreet, St. Giles's, London. In the year 1688, he was barber to King James II. when at St. Germain en Laye, in France.

Catharine Noon, otherwiſe Moony—136.

Near the city of Tuam, in Ireland; was very temperate at her meals. Her huſband died, aged one hundred and twenty-eight years.

Jacob Garton—102.

Of Dulwich, Southwark, tallow-chandler.

Ralph How—103.

Of Pickley-Hill, near Biſhop-Aukland.

Samuel Urwin—104.

Commander in the Eaſt-India ſervice, till he was ninety-two years of age.

John Peter Drewett—101.

Of St. Catharine's, merchant.

Mary

Mary Preſcot—105.

Of Delworth, Suſſex; had thirty-ſeven children.

Mr. Fraſer—118.

An invalid in the King's Royal-hoſpital, at Kilmainham, near Dublin. He ſerved in all the campaigns made by King William, and loſt his right arm in the trenches before Namur, at the ſiege of that place, (where the King commanded) by a cannon ball.

Mr. Adams—120.

Of Drogheda, in Ireland.

John Daniel—107.

Of Park-ſtreet, Southwark, ironmonger; was blind twenty-two years.

Donald M' Gregor—117.

Of the Iſle of Sky, in Scotland, farmer. He was temperate at meals, and took much exerciſe.

Bridget Spedding—123.

Near Whitehaven.

Mr. Height—100.

Of Marſton, Lincolnſhire.

Mary

Mary Elder—102.

Of Clerkenwell work-houſe, London.

Phillibert du Chateau—103.

Of Paris. At the age of ſeventy-five, he enliſted into the King's army, where he continued till the peace of Aix-la-Chapelle.

Henry Felton—102.

Near Norwood, farmer.

Mrs. Caulers—101.

Of Harborough, Leiceſterſhire.

George Bowman—107.

Near Kilmarnock, Ayrſhire.

Sarah Pomfrey—103.

Of Sheer-lane, London.

Mrs. Coleman—106.

Of Bath.

Edward White—108.

Of Ballycurragh, in Scotland.

Richard Day—117.

Of Clavering, Eſſex, labourer.

Mr.

Mr. Riley—100.

Of Broad-ſtreet, Carnaby-market, London.

Oliver Euſtace—100.

Of Naas, in Ireland.

Peter Dowling—102.

Of Chelſea-hoſpital. He loſt an arm at the battle of the Boyne.

Ann Barthelems—110.

Of Lorraine. She was wet-nurſe to the Marquis of Baſſompierre, in 1765.

Marie Tardie—105.

Of St. Geneſte, in France.

Margaret M'Dowal—106.

Near Edinburgh. She married and ſurvived thirteen huſbands.

Philip Loutier—105.

Of Shoreditch, London; a French barber. He drank nothing but water, and eat only once a day.

Cornelius Vandieman—105.

Of the Hague.

Philip

Philip Palfreeman—100.

Box-keeper at Covent-garden theatre; in which employ he acquired ten thouſand pounds.

William Johnſton, Eſq.—127.

Of Aldenham, Herts; lieutenant-colonel of invalids.

Mr. Early—112.

Of Dublin; an old ſoldier.

Laughlin M' Gillawry—107.

Of Strathnaver, Sutherland.

John Lindſay—102.

Of Oxford-road, London.

John Cotterill—102.

Of Newcaſtle.

Dominick Ryley—101.

He was a corporal at the battle of the Boyne; at his death he bequeathed five hundred pounds, chiefly to old ſoldiers.

Robert Ogleby—114.

Of Leeds; a noted tinker.

Thomas

Thomas Croſby—103.

Of Stratford; formerly cocket-writer at the cuſtom-houſe.

Jacob Gerton—102.

Of Dulwich, Surry.

John Diſney—100.

Of Southwark; clerk at the permit-office in that place.

Suſannah Pratt—109.

Of Ruffley, Hants.

1769.

James Caſslet—104.

Of Hampton-Court; formerly bottle-groom to King George I.

John Brookſbank—102.

Of Lambeth, Surry, waterman; formerly a ſailor in Queen Ann's navy.

Jonathan Pulleyn, Eſq.—100.

Of Ormond-ſtreet, London; was a commander in the Eaſt India ſervice.

Mrs.

Mrs. Moore—107.

Of Rigby, Yorkſhire; grandmother to the Rev. Mr. Moore, St. Ann's, Soho, and ordinary of Newgate, London.

Ann Richards—103.

Of Bodmin, Cornwall.

Mrs. Goodluck—108.

Of Blackfriar's, London.

Mary Baker—100.

Of Hatton-garden, London; a widow lady.

Bridget Toole—103.

Of Dublin.

Joſeph Gale—129.

Of Weſtport, in Ireland.

Mr. Conyers—105.

Of Taviſtock, Devonſhire, fiſherman.

Mrs. Trevanion—107.

Of Bodmin, Cornwall.

William Wells—104.

Of Rocheſter, Kent.

Mr.

Mr. Horner—106.

Of Gravesend.

Henry James Oswal—105.

Of St. Omer's, in France; a celebrated mathematician.

John Martin Gardy—112.

Of Brussels.

Jane Hallett—107.

Of Ellesmere, Shropshire; enjoyed perfect health, until within four months of her death.

Robert Sellen, Esq.—100.

Of Brompton.

Mr. Butler—133.

Of the Golden Vale, near Kilkenny, in Ireland. He was related to the family of the Duke of Ormond; could walk well, and mount his horse with great agility to near the time of his death; and thus by much exercise in walking and riding, attained good health, and longevity.

John Wheeler—105.

Of Margezy, Cornwall.

Mrs. Clarſon—105.

Of Saffron-hill.

Peter Breman—104.

Of Dyer-ſtreet, St. Giles's, London; was ſix feet ſix inches high; had been a ſoldier from the age of eighteen years.

Martha Preſton—125.

Of Barnſley, Yorkſhire; had twenty-ſeven children by five huſbands.

John Chump—120.

Of Kildare, in Ireland.

Elizabeth Harwood—102.

Of Whitchurch, Shropſhire; ſhe left her huſband living, aged ninety-eight years.

George Delaney—122.

Of the South of France; could walk well to the laſt.

Mrs. Talbot—105.

Of Marybone, widow.

Honor M' Mahon—110.

Of Granahon, Limerick, in Ireland.

James

James Palmor—106.

Of Newcaſtle, fiſherman; never had a day's illneſs.

John Rider—121.

A Palatine, reſided near Dublin. He ſerved under the Duke of Wirtemburgh, when Vienna was beſieged by the Turks, in 1683, and retained all his ſenſes. Towards the end of his life he was ſupported by his friends.

Thomas King—130.

Of Noke, Oxfordſhire, threſher. The latter part of his life he ſubſiſted on charity.

Sir Fleetwood Shepard—121.

At his ſeat in Eſſex. He was the particular friend of Mr. Prior, the poet.

Margaret Foſter—137.

Near Brampton, Cumberland. Her daughter died a ſhort time before, aged one hundred and five.

Mr. Dives—115.

Of Queen's-ſquare, Weſtminſter. He was deſcended from Sir Lewis Dives, who was a cavalier in the reign of King Charles I.

Mrs. Goodluck—108.

Of Blackfriar's, London.

Mrs. Day—106.

Of Southwark.

William Hughes—127.

Of Tadcaſter, Yorkſhire.

James Sibbon—105.

A ſhip-carpenter. He was at work in the yard, when the Czar, Peter the Great, came to England to learn the art of ſhip-building.

George Welling—102.

Of Bloomſbury, London, wheel-wright.

1770.

Mr. Richardſon—102.

Of Tregony, Cornwall.

Mr. Jackſon—100.

Of Eſſex-ſtreet, Whitefriar's, London.

Madame Genevieve—105.

Of Dieppe, in France.

William

William Farr—121.

Of Birmingham, Tamworth carrier. He had, in the whole, children, grand-children, and great grand-children, to the amount of one hundred and forty-four; but, what is remarkable, he ſurvived all his numerous poſterity; and therefore bequeathed ten thouſand pounds to charitable uſes.

Mary James—100.

Of Briſtol.

Patronella Picht—100.

Of Chelſea; a widow lady.

Ellin Brandwood—102.

Of Leigh, near Liverpool.

John Macdonald—108.

Of New-ſtreet, St. Giles's, London.

Eleanor Lawſon—105.

Of Great-Bavington, Northumberland, widow.

Francis Morris—108.

Of Newcaſtle.

Perrette Chualon—106.

Of Fontainbleau, in France.

James

James Hatfield—105.

Was formerly a ſoldier: when on duty as a centinel at Windſor, one night, at the expiration of his guard, he heard St. Paul's clock, London, ſtrike thirteen ſtrokes, inſtead of twelve, and not being relieved, as he expected, he fell aſleep; in which ſituation he was found by the ſucceeding guard, who ſoon after came to relieve him; for ſuch neglect he was tried by a court-martial, but pleading that he was on duty his legal time, and aſſerting, as a proof, the ſingular circumſtance of hearing St. Paul's clock ſtrike thirteen ſtrokes, which, upon enquiry proved true, he was, in conſequence, acquitted.

Sarah Deſon—103.

Of Bath.

John Storey—105.

Formerly gardener to the Duke of Bedford.

Ann Hatfield—105.

Of Tinſley, Yorkſhire.

Jonas Berry—112.

Of the Grange, Southwark; formerly ſadler to Queen Anne.

Ralph

Ralph Nied—107.

Of Tarvin, near Chefter; ſurvived ſix wives.

Mr. Jefferies—104.

Of Uxbridge, Middleſex, farmer.

Mr. Ramſay—105.

Of Peckham, Surry, pawn-broker.

Jane Hammond—107.

Near Whitchurch, Shropſhire.

Mary Gold—112.

Of Ryegate, Surry.

William Morley—103.

Of Egham, Surry, farmer.

Mr. Mills—100.

Of Wells, Somerſet.

Mary Johan—108.

Of Arlon, in Luxemburgh; relict of St. Louis, lieutenant-colonel of the regiment of Nice, who was killed at the ſiege of Philipſburgh.

Philip Car—105.

Of Walton, Surry.

Mrs.

Mrs. Gray—121.

Of Northfleet, Kent; the oldeſt inhabitant of that place. She was born deaf and dumb, and yet lived to the above great age.

Mr. Price—113.

Of Ledbury, Hertfordſhire. His wife was aged one hundred and nine. They lived together in great harmony upwards of eighty years.

Princeſs of Dieſback—104.

Of Fribourg, in Switzerland.

Jane Morſe—105.

Of the Rolls work-houſe, London.

1771.

Mrs. Carman—122.

Of Fethard, in Ireland, widow.

Iſabella Sidonie—101.

Baroneſs of Legen, lady of the order of the ſtar, and lady to the Queen of Hungary.

Mr. Wellings—109.

Of Norwich, clothier.

George

George Tomlinſon, Eſq.—104.

Of Biſhopſgate-ſtreet, London.

Mrs. Barton—103.

Of Portſmouth.

Capt. Jacob Johnſon—102.

Of London.

William Cotterell—107.

Of Nottingham, farmer. His wife died three days after, aged ninety-eight, having been married eighty years.

Thomas Ledear—103.

Of Epping, Eſſex.

Mr. Euring—105.

Of Market-Lavington, Wilts, gardener.

Mrs. Probe—104.

Of Tottenham-court-road, London. She left a ſiſter, aged one hundred and one.

Mrs. Boyce—107.

Of Guildford, Surry. By temperance ſhe acquired conſtant health, and retained her ſenſes to the laſt.

Natha-

Nathaniel Wickfield—103.

Of Ladridge, Lancaſhire.

Mary Bird—100.

Of Chelſea.

Mary Agar—106.

Of Ringwood, county of Kilkenny, in Ireland.

Rev. Mr. Pratt—102.

Of Hackney.

James Dickie—109.

Near Slains-caſtle, in Scotland.

Pierre la Borie—113.

Of Puiſailli, in France, huſbandman.

Jonathan Merryweather, Eſq.—105.

Of Hatton-garden, London.

Francis Benie—121.

Of Paris.

Ralph Coulſon—107.

Of Grimſtone, Yorkſhire.

Thomas

Thomas Wilſon, Eſq.—103.

Formerly a captain in the African trade; in which capacity he acquired a conſiderable fortune.

John Riva—118.

Of Venice, ſtock-broker. He was born at Morocco; married at ſeventy, and had ſeveral children, the laſt at the age of ninety; he retained his ſight and hearing, and could walk to the laſt without a ſtick.

Elizabeth Gordon—100.

Of Glaſgow, in Scotland.

Paul Barral—106.

Of Nice, a prieſt. He continued in good health by living on vegetables.

Owen Tudor, Eſq.—121.

Of Llangollen, Denbigſhire; a deſcendant of King Henry VII. Duke of Richmond.

Mr. Mullilet—108.

Of Carliſle, Cumberland.

Francis Bence—121.

Of Femerſgran, in the Agenoiſe.

Ap Jones—107.

Of Angleſey, in Wales, ſhepherd; had four wives, married the laſt at ninety years of age, and had children by her.

Peter Guthrie, Eſq.—105.

Of Edinburgh.

Solomon Emanuel—109.

Of the Hague; a Jew.

John Hammond—107.

Near Whitchurch, Shropſhire.

James Alexander Tompkins—103.

Of Shadwell; formerly a captain in the Weſt India ſervice.

Mr. Fleming—128.

Of Liverpool, factor. He left a ſon and a daughter, each upwards of one hundred.

Iſaac Naiſh—104.

Of Coal-pit-heath, Glouceſterſhire, farmer. His wife died the day after his funeral, having been married eighty-one years, aged one hundred and fifteen.

Hya-

Hyacinthe la Roſa—117.

Of Algueziras, in Spain.

John Allen—104.

Of Fetter-lane, London.

John Miles—109.

Of Comeford, near Litchfield, labourer.

Mr. Thumull—104.

Of Vienna. He was profeſſor of the college of Kallninken.

Solomon Raphael Levi—108.

Of St. Giles's, London.

Mrs. Chandler—108.

Near the Seven Dials, London.

Margaret M'Kay—121.

Of Ribigil, near Thirſo, in the Highlands; nearly related to Lord Rea.

Mrs. Redrick—105.

Of Shrewſbury, Salop.

Elizabeth Atkinſon—105.

Near the Seven Dials, London, widow.

Mar-

Margaret Coles—102.

Of St. Giles's, London, formerly a beggar; ſhe left behind her thirty pounds in gold and ſilver, and upwards of ten pounds in halfpence.

Henry Morgan—107.

Of Bath, gardener.

Ann Franks—100.

Grand-daughter of Theophilus, Earl of Suffolk.

John Gough—129.

Of Caſtletown, Ireland. He was well known by the name of *Doctor Gough;* and though at ſuch great age, his intellects were perfect.

Mrs. Sholmine—103.

Of Saliſbury.

Mr. Gilſhenan—120.

Of Donell, in Ireland.

1772.

Andrew Coppach—105.

Of St. Catharine's; a French refugee.

Mrs.

Mrs. Day—107.

Of Lynn, Norfolk.

Mrs. Edwards—111.

Of Kendall, Weſtmoreland.

Suſannah Vandewall—106.

Of Broad-way, Weſtminſter.

Mrs. Coulter—103.

Of Ovingham, in Scotland.

Mrs. Summers—102.

Of Richmond, Surry.

Thomas Dalton—105.

Of Tairlight, Suſſex.

John Simpſon—110.

Of Stratford, Eſſex.

Margaret Anſten—104.

Of Tenterden, Kent, widow.

William Giles—102.

Formerly a brewer at Reading, Berks; he died in the South of France.

James

James Geras—109.

Of the Canton of Bern. He had round his bed, at the time of his death, ſeventy children, grand-children, and great grand-children.

Mary Gray—103.

Of Hoxton work-houſe.

Margaret Aunfree—119.

Of Utrecht.

Peter Mauzere—109.

Of Groningen, in Holland, fiſherman.

Jane Simmonds—110.

Of Fiſhmonger's alms-houſe, Newington-butts.

Mr. Jones—108.

Of Fleet-ſtreet, London.

Mr. Cordelon—107.

Of Romſey, Hants; was a refugee from France in Queen Anne's reign.

Dr. William Broughbridge—112.

Of Charles-ſtreet, Weſtminſter; formerly one of the maſters of the Charter-houſe ſchool.

John

John Roberts—111.

Of Chelſea-hoſpital.

John Morſe—112.

Of Hackney work-houſe.

James Gay—101.

Of Bourdeaux. Though he had been married ſixteen times, he never had a child.

Elizabeth Nichols—103.

Of Norwich.

Alexander Drayſdall—107.

Near Edinburgh, gardener.

Madame Grandchamp—107.

A religious lady, of the Priory of Chanchanoux, in the dioceſe of Autun, in France.

John Noble—114.

Of Corney, Cumberland.

John Whalley—121.

Of Rotherhithe work-houſe.

Jane Shirley—102.

Of Eton, Berks.

Joan Jones—103.

Of Guiſborough, Yorkſhire.

Robert Creed, Eſq.—110.

Captain of a man of war, in the ſervice of King George I.

Mrs. Hinks—118.

Of Bridge-ſtreet, London. She left to ten pariſhes eleven hundred pounds.

Abraham Strodman—128.

Of Rouen, in France; was a native of Alexandria, in Egypt.

William Harwick—100.

Of Leeds, Yorkſhire.

Andrew Larſſon—115.

Of Lanni, in Sweden. He left no iſſue, though married to three wives.

William Hunt—113.

Of Maryland; the oldeſt inhabitant there.

John Richardſon—107.

Of Truro, Cornwall.

Mary

Mary Butler—102.

Of Shrewſbury, Shropſhire.

Mary Metcalf—108.

Near Backworth, Northumberland.

Mrs. Tate—106.

Of Malton, Yorkſhire.

Jaſper Jenkins—106.

Of Enfield, Middleſex; formerly merchant at Liverpool.

Mrs. Keithe—133.

Of Newnham, Glouceſterſhire. She lived moderately, and retained her ſenſes till within fourteen days of her death. She left three daughters, the eldeſt, aged one hundred and eleven; the ſecond, one hundred and ten; the youngeſt, one hundred and nine. Alſo, ſeven great, and great great grand-children.

John Meggs—101.

Of Tamworth, Staffordſhire.

Margaret Mackey—121.

Of Ribigill, in Scotland. She was nearly related to Lord Rae.

Mrs. Redrick—105.

Of Shrewſbury, Shropſhire.

Madame Girodelle Maiden—127.

Of St. Omer's, in France.

Jane Jenkins—108.

Of Southwark.

Mr. Rice—115.

Of Southwark, cooper.

Peter M' Donald—109.

Of Edingburgh, fiſherman. His father was one hundred and ſixteen; his grand-father one hundred and ſeven.

Chriſtian Jacobſon Drackenburg—146.

Of Aarhus, in Denmark; a celebrated and well-known character.

Daniel Legro, Eſq.—103.

Of Leeds, Yorkſhire.

Maria Watſon—104.

Of Poplar. She left a ſiſter, aged one hundred and two.

Peter

Peter M' Cloud, Eſq.—105.

Of North-Audley-ſtreet, London.

Mrs. Clum—138.

Near Litchfield, Staffordſhire; reſided in the ſame houſe one hundred and three years. By frequent exerciſe, and temperate living, ſhe attained ſo great longevity. She left one ſon and two daughters, the youngeſt upwards of one hundred years.

Iſabel King—108.

Of Tochabers, in Scotland.

Mr. Hamilton—101.

Of Seven-Oaks, Kent.

Mary Winter—105.

Of Lambeth, Surry.

Mary Simms—109.

Of the Mint, Southwark. She acquired fifteen hundred pounds by begging.

Mr. Shephard—109.

Gardener to King George I.

Thomas

Thomas Pearce—112.

Of Hawley-hill farm, Wilts, labourer.

Mrs. Carman—122.

Of Fethard, in Ireland, widow.

Colonel M' Donald—112.

Of Glaſgow.

A Man, who under the appellation of *Elizabeth Page*, practiſed phyſic at Streatham, in Surry. His ſex was not diſcovered till his death, which happened in his one hundred and eighth year.

1773.

James Newnham, Eſq.—102.

Of Hampſtead; was a lieutenant in the Duke of Marlborough's own regiment, and received a ball through his thigh at the battle of Blenheim.

John Richardſon—107.

Of Truro, Cornwall.

Fockje Joannes—113.

Of Oldhorn, Frieſland; had been a widow from the year 1710.

John

John Nicholls—111.

Of Darlington, Durham.

Mrs. Cooper—104.

Of Chirton, widow.

James Bell—113.

Of Eamont-bridge, near Penrith; he was a Dutchman, and came to England with King William.

Elizabeth de Val—101.

Of Bruſſels; never eat any animal food.

William Wootten—111.

Of Virginia; a ſoldier.

Henry Junkerman—108.

Of Alton-Rhinberry, in France.

Barbara Wilſon—120.

Of Whittingham, Eaſt-Lothian, in Scotland.

Thomas Frowd—103.

Of Red-lion-ſtreet, Holborn, London.

Major

Major Aſtle—100.

Of Carlow, in Ireland.

William Wootton—111.

Of Virginia.

Elizabeth Clark—104.

Of Piccadilly, London; never was afflicted with illneſs, till the time of her death.

James Forthton, Eſq.—127.

Of Grenada. He was born at Bourdeaux in 1645, ſettled in the Weſt-Indies in 1694, married at St. Chriſtopher's, and removed to Martinico, where he remained thirty years. The remainder of his life he paſſed at Grenada. He retained his ſight till his one hundred and ſeventeenth year; his health began to decay only a few days before his death.

Joan Godfrey—110.

Of Benham, Suſſex. She carried a bucket of water a great diſtance within a week of her death.

Mr. Steward—103.

Of Reading, Berks, farmer.

William

William Dykes—103.

Of Cheapside, London, quaker. He was formerly a woollen-draper.

Philip Collett—112.

Of Whitechapel, London, cobler; was a soldier in the service of King James II.

Antonine Cambulas—114.

Minister of the parish of Barbarouge, in the diocese of Castries.

David Worsam—109.

Of Plastow, in Wales; formerly a corn-factor in Southwark.

Jane Reeves—103.

Of Saffron-Walden.

Mr. Hales—104.

Of Clifford's-inn, London.

Peter Delme, Esq.—104.

Of Leeds, Yorkshire.

Sir James Halliday—102.

Of the Grisons, in Switzerland.

Thomas

Thomas Garbut—101.

Of Hurworth, Yorkſhire.

Peter Bennet—107.

Of Tinmouth. He was a Chelſea-penſioner from the year 1706.

Hugh Moran—113.

A ſoldier, of the royal hoſpital, in Dublin.

Mongo Humphries—112.

Of Folkſtone, fiſherman.

Mary Smith—104.

Of Stanton, Cumberland. She was ſpinning only two hours before ſhe died.

Charles M'Tindly, Eſq.—143

Of Tipperary, in Ireland; was a captain in the ſervice of King Charles I.

Mrs. Leavefield—107.

An Engliſh lady, of Bellona, in Italy; whither ſhe went at the age of fifteen years. She was very rich, and bequeathed the whole of her fortune to a common ſoldier of her own name, except ſome legacies to convents.

Martha

Martha Collins—102.

Of Gillingham, Kent.

Mary Duff—103.

Of Edinburgh.

Ellen Hitchcock—118.

Of Aſhborne, Derbyſhire.

James Kealing—103.

A ſoldier, of the royal hoſpital, in Dublin.

Ann Welder—107.

Of Stone, Staffordſhire.

John Jones—102.

Of Cloonterk, county of Mayo, in Ireland.

Thomas Forbes, Eſq.—102.

Of Harwich, Eſſex; formerly a captain in the royal navy.

Rebecca Widmear—115.

Of Deptford, Wilts.

Rev. Francis Gresby—100.

Of Sternſham, Worceſterſhire; of which place he was rector.

Rachael

Rachael Solomon—110.

Of Rotterdam; a Jewess. She left nine children, thirty-two grand-children, and twenty-five great grand-children.

Solomon Connannel—109.

Of the Hague; a Jew.

Andrew Eckstain—106.

Of Chesterfield.

Eleanor Spicer—121.

Of Acomack, in Virginia; was able to work at spinning till within six months of her death, and retained her senses to the last.

Mr. Ralf—103.

Of Presbury, Cheshire.

Mr. Hopley—114.

Of Newnham, Glouceſterſhire, hop-merchant.

Shelagh M'Alester—118.

Of the county of Londonderry, in Ireland.

Mr. Clarkson—112.

Of Birmingham.

Mary

Mary Jones—100.

Of Wem, Shropſhire. An extraordinary inſtance of longevity in a ſtate of great bodily imperfection; ſhe being very deformed, and only two feet eight inches in height.

James Cordelen—108.

Of Romſey, Hants; a French refugee.

Mr. Long—102.

Of Fourtree-hill, Enfield, farmer.

Mary Worſley—105.

Of Apſley, Bedfordſhire. Her ſon, aged eighty-eight years, was chief mourner at her funeral.

Mr. Gatty—104.

Of Helſtone, Cornwall, taylor.

Mr. Eyre—107.

Of Birmingham, cutler.

Hugh Crummy—114.

Of Rathfryland, in Ireland.

In this year, when Chriſtian VI. King of Sweden, and his Queen, Sophia Magdalena, viſited their Norwegian dominions, they reſided at

at the houſe of lieutenant-colonel Colbiornſon, in Friderickſhall, who was deſirous of diverting his royal gueſts with what is called a jubilee wedding, which was performed in the garden, under tents pitched for that purpoſe. There were four couples married, being country people invited from the adjacent parts, each of whom was one hundred years of age. Such an inſtance of longevity, in eight perſons met together, probably before was never equalled, nor ever may be again. Their names were:

Torreſon Sologſteen, and his wife *Kelje*.

Jern Oer, and his wife *Inger*.

Ole Beſſebar, and his wife *N*——.

Hans Forlaſken, who brought with him, as his partner, *Joran Gallen;* ſhe was not his wife, but being one hundred years of age, he had borrowed her for this very extraordinary ceremony.

Theſe eight people made themſelves extremely merry at this jubilee-wedding; the women, according to the cuſtom of the country, danced with green wreaths on their heads, which, in Norway, are always worn by brides on their wedding-day. They had each a genteel preſent, to defray their expences home.

1774.

1774.

Samuel Street—102.

Of Buckland St. Mary, Dorſet; was a ſoldier in the ſervice of Queen Anne; had five wives, and two children by each; and, at the time of his death, the banns had been publiſhed for the ſixth wife.

Iſaac Devick—105.

Of Southampton, wine-merchant.

Thomas Laſkay, Eſq.—114.

Of Dunkirk, merchant.

Michael Pravie, Eſq.—101.

Of Scotland; formerly Sir Michael Pravie, an attainted Baronet of King George I.

Elizabeth Tuck—103.

Of Ludham, Norfolk.

Benjamin Smith—104.

Of Blackheath; formerly captain in the Liſbon trade.

William Beaty, Eſq.—130.

Formerly an officer in the army; he was at the celebrated battle of the Boyne.

Iſaac

Iſaac de Vic—102.

Of Chileworth, near Romſey, Hants.

Robert Hill—101.

Of Cadnor, Derbyſhire; died of the ſmall-pox, till which time he was in good health, poſſeſſing all his faculties perfect, and appearing likely to live many years longer.

Richard Gibſon—117.

Of Sealby, near Carliſle, farmer.

Elizabeth Greaves—100.

Of Cottenham, Cambridgeſhire. She left three ſons and one daughter, whoſe ages together amounted to three hundred and fourteen years; alſo twenty-eight grand-children, and fifty-eight great grand-children.

Jane de Quincarnou—106.

Baroneſs de Ventes, of the dioceſe of Evreux, in France.

John Whitton—107.

Of Alresford, Hants, threſher.

Rachael Munns—107.

Of St. Alban's; was never ill.

Sieur

Sieur de la Haye—120.

Of the Hague, a native of France; was at the taking of Utrecht in 1672, and at the battle of Malplaquet, in 1709. He travelled by land to Egypt, Perſia, the Indies, and China. At the age of ſeventy he married, and had five children.

Margery Bonefaut—114.

Of Wear-Gifford, near Barnſtaple, Devon; could ſee to read to the laſt.

Zachary Abington—103.

Of Hackney.

Lady Bulkley—102.

Of Bargat, near Fordingbridge, Hants.

Owen Terſenny—107.

Of Shilroſs, in Ireland.

Mr. Turtle—102.

Of Brayſted, Kent.

John Monk Morgan, Eſq.—100.

Of Woodhouſe, near Bakewell, Derbyſhire.

John Smith—108.

Of Mortimer, Berkſhire.

Allen Duncan—112.

Of Nairn, in Scotland; was in the rebellion in 1715, and alſo in 1745.

John Tice—125.

Of Hagley, Worceſterſhire. He was born in the protectorſhip of Oliver Cromwell. When about eighty years of age, he had the misfortune to have both his legs broken by the falling of a tree; and a violent cold afterwards ſettling in his head, rendered him very deaf. At the age of one hundred, whilſt ſitting by his fire-ſide alone, he was ſeized with a fainting fit, fell into the fire, and, being a cripple, could not extricate himſelf, but a perſon accidentally coming into the room, preſerved him from death, though he was much burnt; yet with proper care, in a ſhort time he recovered, and took his cuſtomary walks. But the greateſt misfortune that could have befallen him, and which he did not long ſurvive, was the death of his only friend, Lord Lyttleton, for after that event he never left his room. He retained all the faculties of his mind to the time of his death. *William Tice*, his younger brother, died a few years before at Kidderminſter, Worceſterſhire, aged one hundred and two.

Timothy

Timothy Willoughby—107.

Of Farnham, Surry, thatcher.

Peter Frampton, Esq.—107.

Of Hodsdon, Herts. He left a son eighty-four years old.

Lidia Hewett—107.

Of Broadway, near Ilminster, Somerset.

Martha Gibbons—107.

Of Prittlewell, Essex.

Mr. Mazarella—105.

Of Vienna. A few months before his death he had several new teeth; and his hair, grown grey by age, became black, its original colour.

Prudence Hudson—107.

Of Dunstable, Bedfordshire; she spun for her living, and died at her wheel.

Bridget Howard—101.

Near Birmingham.

Shelagh M'Alester—118.

Of the county of Londonderry, in Ireland.

Mrs. Wye—105.

Of Dublin.

Sarah Duffield—103.

Of Lower-Swell, Glouceſterſhire, widow.

John Layſe, Eſq.—106.

Of Chepſtow, Glouceſterſhire; was a captain in the army.

Andrew Brizin Debra—123.

Of Turin. His death was occaſioned by a fall, otherwiſe, had not ſuch an accident happened, he might probably have lived many years longer.

Iſaac Warnford—103.

Of Hartley-hill, Berks, farmer.

Emanuel Smithſon—101.

Of the Hot-Wells, Briſtol; ſpeaker to the Quakers.

Mr. Gunwell—108.

Of Wooburn, Bedfordſhire.

Daniel Mulleery—127.

Of Liney, in Ireland.

1775.

Peter Garden—131.

Of Auchernefs, near Edinburgh. He lived in the reigns of King Charles I. Charles II. James II. William and Mary, Queen Anne, George I. II. and III. He very well remembered having been employed in the woods to cut handles for fpears in the civil wars.

Thomas Miller—101.

Of Brandon, Suffolk. He left a widow near his own age, to whom he had been married eighty years.

Francis Tait—102.

Of Caithnefs, in Scotland, fchoolmafter.

Mary Watkins—105.

Of Wargrave, Berks.

Sarah Brookman—106.

Of Glaftonbury, Somerfet.

Mr. Clayton—115.

Of Berkfhire, a wealthy farmer. He rented one farm ninety years, and retained all his faculties.

Jonathan

Jonathan Howes—106.

Of Eaſt-Smithfield, London.

Michael M'Laughlin—108.

Of Athlone, in Ireland.

Mrs. Buchy—103.

Of Dublin.

Andrew Vidal—124.

Of Siara, in Brazil. He had thirty ſons and five daughters; in 1773, he lived in the ſame houſe with his children and grand-children, of whom the number amounted to one hundred and forty-nine.

William Skillingſby—119.

Of Pinner, Middleſex.

Sir George Hawkins, Knt.—105.

Of Lilly, Herts; was phyſician to King George I.

Dr. Alexander Maxwell—103.

Of Hartwhitle, Northumberland.

Mr. Warne—103.

Of Hatton-garden, London, engraver.

Mrs.

Mrs. Jones—125.

Of Camberwell work-houſe, Surry. She remembered the coronation of King Charles II. and enjoyed her health and ſenſes till near her death.

1776.

A farmer in the neighbourhood of Feſtiniog, Merionethſhire, in Wales. By his firſt wife he had thirty children; by his ſecond, ten; by his third, four; and by two concubines, ſeven; his eldeſt ſon was eighty-one years older than the youngeſt, and eight hundred of his deſcendents attended him to his grave. He died aged one hundred and five years.

Eleanor Willis—105.

Of Beech-lane, London.

Mr. Dormer—106.

Of Cock-lane, Smithfield, London.

George Goodman, Eſq.—105.

Of Jamaica.

Mr. Moval—136.

Surgeon, at Laugholm, ſhire of Dumfries, in Scotland.

Mary

Mary Coen—112.

Of Webſborough, in Ireland.

David Brian—117.

Of Tinncrake, in Ireland.

John Mount Langham—134.

Of Dumfries, in Scotland.

Mrs. Cahier—108.

Of Charles-ſtreet, Weſtminſter.

Robert Cook—107.

Of Clifton, Yorkſhire.

Rev. Mr. Lathwaite—100.

Of Newington.

Benjamin Price—104.

Of Chelſea.

Mr. Brooks—100.

Of Wickham, Kent.

Launcelot Chambellan—109.

Near Nancy, in Lorrain; walked, a few days before his death, upwards of ten miles.

Dorothy

Dorothy Clark—112.

Of Weſtrope, near Southwell, Nottinghamſhire. At the age of one hundred and two, ſhe reaped wheat againſt a man the whole day.

Mrs. Hall—100.

Of Oxford.

Mr. Kennedy—110.

Of Dumfries, in Scotland.

William Dale—101.

Of Auſtry, Warwickſhire.

Ann Sympſon—101.

Of Sunbury, Middleſex, widow.

Joſeph Dobyns—102.

Of Rickmerſworth, Herts, ſhepherd.

Marie Magdaleine—103.

Of Brack, near Mondidier, in France. Her ſiſter was aged one hundred and four.

Mr. Wright—102.

Of Hatton, near York.

Mar-

Marguerite de Coeg—104.

Of Frouleville, near Dieppe, in France.

Mr. Pattiſon—100.

Near Edinburgh.

Mr. Buck—105.

Of Dublin.

Mary Yates—128.

Of Shiffnall, Shropſhire. She lived many years entirely on the bounty of Sir Harry and Lady Bridgeman. She well remembered the fire of London, in 1666, the ruins of which ſhe went to view on foot. She was hearty and ſtrong one hundred and twenty years, and married a third huſband at ninety-two. Her death is recorded on a ſmall board affixed to a pillar, oppoſite to the pulpit, in Shiffnal church.

John Harding—104.

Of Cheſter. He married Jane Darlington, of Mollington, aged eighty-four, a few years before his death.

Captain Willet—100.

Formerly in the Weſt-India trade.

1777.

Margaret Baiſe—107.

Of Stockwell, Surry; a widow lady.

Mrs. Rowe—106.

Of Thornton; a maiden lady.

Rev. Mr. Walker—107.

Of Little-Chalkland, Devon; a diſſenting miniſter.

Ann Foſter—132.

Of Newcaſtle.

Mary Flowers—102.

Of Blackfriar's work-houſe, London. She once kept her coach.

Jane Davis—113.

Of Hackney, Middleſex, a maiden lady. She enjoyed ſome poſt under Queen Anne.

Francis Wilks—109.

Of Stourbridge, Worceſterſhire, labourer. His poor neighbours were perſuaded that he had purchaſed immortality from a witch.

John

John Houſeman—111.

Of Seſſays, near Thirſk, Yorkſhire, labourer.

John Dyer—112.

Of Burton-Upon-Tyne, Lancaſhire; was a ſoldier in the ſervice of King William, and afterwards in that of Queen Anne, under the Duke of Marlborough.

Domarges Bonnemaiſon—122.

Of Lombez, in France. She left three children, the youngeſt ſeventy-ſix years old.

Peter Fierville—107.

Of Munich, in Germany, a celebrated comedian. He remembered Moliere, was contemporary with Baron, played before King Charles II. of England, and Chriſtina, Queen of Sweden; and continued to play at Paris till 1741.

Peter Derry—119.

Of Dublin.

Dorcas Lewen—103.

Near Chelmsford, Eſſex.

A man at Dent, Yorkſhire, died, aged one hundred and thirty-nine. His ſon was one hundred years of age.

1778.

William Iven—115.

Of Wednesfield, near Woolverhampton, Staffordſhire; married his fourth and laſt wife at the age of one hundred and five, becauſe, as he ſaid, he was reſolved to die virtuous.

Elizabeth Worthington—117.

Of Newton-Regis.

John Watſon—130.

Of Limehouſe-park, Cheſhire, of which he was keeper. He is ſaid to have had a relation, who bore a child at ninety.

Francis Brouſſeau—113.

Of Beynac, in France.

Mr. Price—103.

Of Llancrwiffe, in South-Wales.

Mr. Purfield—105.

Of Stockwell, Surry.

William Duncan—108.

Of Aberdeen, in Scotland.

Patrick

Patrick M' Cabe—115.

Of Rathmoony, in Ireland.

Adam Devaile—102.

Of Stroud, near Rocheſter.

John Lambart—103.

Of Kendal, Weſtmoreland. He lived a ſervant in one family near ſeventy years.

John Cooper—100.

Of Aſhbourne, Derbyſhire. He ſerved as a drummer in King William's army.

Mr. Huſan—109.

Of Wigan, Lancaſhire.

Thomas Cocks—102.

Of Brethlingſby, Surry, labourer.

Anna Maria Threlkeld—106.

Of Limehouſe work-houſe.

Eleanor Neal—102.

Of Mile-End.

Jean Aragus—123.

Of Laſtua, in Turkey, caravan-driver.

1779.

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Charles Beresford, Esq.—103.

Of Greenwich, Kent.

John Strokes, Esq.—104.

Of Wansworth, Surry.

Samuel Jacobson—101.

Of Barnet, Herts.

James Samuel Thornton, Esq.—102.

Of Chelsea.

Mary Rogers—118.

Of Penzance, Cornwall; lived the last sixty years on vegetables.

Mr. Wilbraham—101.

Of Epping-Forest; was page to Queen Anne.

Margaret Doyle—110.

Of Kilkenny, in Ireland.

Mr. Oaks—107.

Of Thames-street, London, merchant.

Alex-

Alexander Forſyth—109.

Of Keith, in Scotland, ſhoe-maker.

Mary Langton—108.

Of Rotherhithe work-houſe.

James Sympſon—114.

Of Idridge-Hay, Derbyſhire.

Mrs. Clarke—102.

Mother of Mr. Clarke, of Covent-garden theatre.

Suſan Eveſon—108.

Of Simmondſone, near Burnley, Lancaſhire.

Mrs. Pollard—115.

Of Barbadoes.

Mary Grimes—106.

Of Mile-End.

Daniel Bennet—107.

Of Tinmouth, Northumberland.

Richard Gower—111.

Of Angel-alley, Dublin, attorney.

Mar-

Margaret Scott—125.

Of Scotland. She was a maid twenty-five years, a wife fifty, and a widow fifty.

Anthony Hopper—115.

Of Cork; was a ſoldier in the ſervice of Queen Anne.

Fluellyn Pryce—101.

Of Glamorgan. His organs had been ſo little injured by the weight of years, that within three years of his death, he directed a village choir in ſome variations for the Sunday. He never uſed ſpectacles, till within fifteen months of his diſſolution, and poſſeſſed a great flow of ſpirits, attended with ſound health and activity; which bleſſings were the reſult of his abſtemious manner of living. Herb teas were his breakfaſt; meat plainly dreſſed, his dinner; and, inſtead of a ſupper, he refreſhed himſelf with ſmoking a pipe of tobacco. With a ſlender education, this man had a ſtrong natural genius; and his paſſion for the Muſes produced a poem, entitled, *Carmenta;* predicting, with great humour, the events of the adminiſtration of the Duke of Newcaſtle, and the junto of that period.

Margaret Stainia—101.

Of St. Giles's work-houſe, London.

George Haſlem—105.

Of Rotherhithe; was a ſoldier in the ſervice of Queen Anne.

Samuel Johnſone—104.

Of Bridlington, Yorkſhire.

Mrs. Bacon—100.

Of Saliſbury, widow.

Ann Steyning—102.

Of Drury-lane, London.

Mr. Denton—102.

Of Brandon, Suffolk.

Mrs. Brundon—103.

Of Stratford, near Old Sarum, widow.

1780.

Joſeph Ekins—103.

Of Combe, Berks, labourer. He never ſuffered a week's illneſs; and, for the laſt forty years, ſubſiſted entirely on bread, milk, and vegetables.

Sir

Sir H. Wilkinſon—104.

Formerly member of parliament for Cumberland.

Timothy M' Namara, Eſq.—112.

Near Londonderry, in Ireland.

Ruth Wine—104.

Of Timſborough, Somerſet.

Mr. Kirby—104.

Of Hertford; a rich farmer.

Suſannah Wood—109.

Of Newton upon the Ouſe, near York.

Mrs. Armſtrong—110.

Of Stepney.

Thomas Hughes, Eſq.—112.

Of Holloway; formerly a captain in the Oxford Blues.

Robert Kenns—108.

Of Newbury, Berks.

Samuel Pickering, Eſq.—104.

Near Derby, Derbyſhire.

Robert M'Bride—130.

Of the iſland of Herries, in Scotland, fiſherman.

Mary Ann Ryan—107.

Of Kent-ſtreet, London.

Margaret Wilkinſon—107.

Of Cheſter-le-ſtreet, Durham.

James Walford—104.

Of Thatcham, Berks, labourer.

Mourice Bingham—116.

Of St. Juſt, Cornwall, fiſherman.

Mrs. Pollard—107.

Of Stamford, Lincolnſhire.

Mrs. Stoaks—100.

Of Margate.

Thomas Hume, Eſq.—115.

Of York.

Edward Shrigley—102.

Of Cheadle, Cheſhire.

John

Jane Petitt—114.

Of St. Martin's work-houſe, London.

Thomas Carter—108.

Of Narrowfield, Berks, labourer.

James Pratt—113.

Of Winchcomb, Berks, labourer.

Thomas Dickens—105.

Of Weſtmill, Hants, farmer.

Joſhua Simpſon, Eſq.—104.

Of Hanſlett, near Leeds, Yorkſhire.

Janet Kynock—105.

Of Aberdeen, in Scotland.

Mrs. Bullock—101.

Of Mortlake, Surry.

Joſiah Morrill—100.

Of Greenſtreet, Berks. He was a lieutenant in the ſervice of Queen Anne, but ſucceeding to a ſmall family eſtate, retired, and paſſed above ſeventy years of his life in tranquillity. He left an only ſon, upwards of ſixty years of age.

John

John Stewardſon—102.

Of Alfreton, Derbyſhire.

John Mullet—103.

Of Ibberton, near Blandford.

James Hopper—103.

Of Englefield, Hants, labourer; was never ten miles from his home.

Daniel Bennett—107.

Of Tynmouth, Cumberland.

Joan Farmer—107.

Of Farrington, Berks.

Mr. Gernon—125.

Of the county of Louth, in Ireland; could read very ſmall print to the laſt.

John Bennett, Eſq.—100.

Of Burton, Hants; was page to Queen Anne.

William Ellis—131.

Of Liverpool, ſhoemaker: a ſeaman in the reign of Queen Anne, and a ſoldier in the reign of George I.

Mary

Mary Glover—103.

Of St. Giles's work-houſe; an old clothes woman.

Robert Pring—103.

Of Frampton, Hants, farmer. He rented one farm ſeventy-five years.

Thomas Pen—101.

Of Pen-farm, near Newbury, Berks; guided the plough the year before his death.

Edward Brinton—102.

Of Epping; was formerly a cheeſe-monger in Thames-ſtreet, London.

James Dangerfield—100.

Of Sutton, near Blewberry, Berks, labourer.

Henry Groſvenor—115.

A gentleman of French extraction, of Inch, county of Wexford, in Ireland; ſurveyor of the coaſt at Blackwater. He was very ſparing in his diet, and uſed much exerciſe: no one preſerved more what the French call the youth of old age, being an agreeable, cheerful companion, at the age of one hundred, when he married his laſt wife.

Mary

Mary Smith—104.

Of Stanton, Cumberland.

Mrs. Cooper—102.

Of Mile-End; relict of Mr. Cooper, of Stepney.

Elizabeth Swanbrook—111.

Of Bright's-alley, Gray's-Inn-lane, London; a poor woman.

Suſan Edmonds—104.

Of Winterbourn, Hants. Five years before her death ſhe had new hair, of a fine brown colour, which began to turn grey a few months before her death.

Mr. Wheatley—106.

Of Leeds, Yorkſhire.

Mr. Evans—139.

Of Spital-ſtreet, Spital-fields, London; had all his ſenſes to the laſt: was ſeven years old when King Charles was beheaded.

Mrs. Noel—106.

Of Mile-End work-houſe; retained her ſenſes to the laſt.

Jane

Janet Taylor—108.

Of the pariſh of Finray, in Scotland. She was baſtized at a meeting-houſe in the fields, during the troubles in the reign of King Charles II.

James Codrington, Eſq.—104.

Of Taunton, Somerſet; could read to the laſt without glaſſes.

John Woodworth—112.

Of Ballynakill, Queen's county, in Ireland.

Suſannah Daſhwood—108.

Of Ham, Eſſex.

Thomas Field—102.

Of Boxford, Herts, labourer. His father was aged one hundred and four years, his brother ninety-five, his uncle ninety-three; and ſcarce any of the family have died under ninety.

James Thorpe—109.

Near Stevenage, Herts, farmer.

Francis Tatton—114.

Of Cauſton, Derbyſhire; a minſtrel of the ancient deſcription.

Mrs.

Mrs. Clarke—105.

Of Wincheſter.

Mary M' Kee—110.

Of Celbridge, county of Kildare, in Ireland.

George Phillips—106.

Of Stourhead, near Mere, Wilts.

Mrs. Smith—104.

Of Stainton, Cumberland.

Samuel Fidler—105.

Near Buxton, Derbyſhire. He walked from his own houſe to Buxton, within three days of his death, which is upwards of five miles. He had been, for the laſt three years, a conſtant attendant at St. Ann's-well, in Buxton, and was ſupported chiefly by the company, who reſorted there to drink the waters.

Thomas Keggan—107.

Of Liverpool.

Dr. Gilbert Kennedy—100.

Of Liſbon; for many years phyſician to the Britiſh factory there.

James

James O'Brian—114.

Of Carrickfergus, in Ireland. He was pay-maſter-ſerjeant in the wars in Ireland, in the reign of King James II.

In this year, the four following perſons, with eleven others, were unfortunately killed, by the dreadful hurricane at Barbadoes:

Mrs. Touchit—115.

Mrs. Bellew—108.

Mr. Sutton—104.

Mrs. Jacklew—101.

1781.

Mary Parker—108.

Of White-Hart-yard, Drury-lane, London. She retained her faculties, with uncommon ſtrength, till within a few days of her death.

James Lutwick—109.

Of Thetford, Norfolk, grocer.

Elizabeth Dallaſs—103.

Near Elleſmere, Shropſhire; a farmer's wife.

Alex-

Alexander Rawlinſon—111.

Of Diſs, near Norfolk, farmer.

Mrs. Loveken—101.

Of Duke-ſtreet, St. James's, London; a maiden lady. She came from Hanover in the reign of King George I.

Mary Foley—117.

Of Rothreigh, near Shanagolden, in Ireland. She had living, at the time of her death, ſix children, ninety-four grand-children, two hundred and fifty-eight great grand-children, and twenty-ſeven great great grand-children.

Frederick Legrange—106.

Of Canterbury; a French weaver.

Joſeph Thompſon—103.

Of Walingate-barr, York, farmer. He left a ſon, near eighty years of age.

Mr. Worme—101.

Of Stebbing, Eſſex; maſter of the George-inn there.

James Hayley—112.

Of Middlewich, Cheſhire, farmer and grazier.

Mary

Mary Speed—103.

Of Worſal, near Yarm; a poor labouring woman. In the early part of her life ſhe was left a widow, with ſeveral children, for whoſe ſupport ſhe worked as a bricklayer's labourer, or at ſome other laborious employment, till the laſt twenty years, when ſhe employed herſelf in ſpinning, till the time of her death, which happened without any previous illneſs.

Mary Webb—110.

Of Chatham; was ſupported by charity.

Mrs. Carlton—104.

Of Great Ruſſel-ſtreet, Bloomſbury, London.

Peter Langré—105.

Of Norwich, weaver; was a native of France.

Charles Hayman—100.

Formerly a ſoldier in the ſervice of King William; died ſuddenly on Blackheath.

Peter Linford—107.

Of Maghall, near Liverpool.

Mrs. Ritchie—110.

Of Port Glaſgow.

George

George Lane—102.

Of Barnet, gardener; worked till within a day of his death.

Hugh Vaughan, Esq.—101.

Of Kenſington; formerly a repreſentative in parliament for Monmouthſhire.

Mr. Mannington—110.

Near Potton, Bedfordſhire; was formerly an attorney, and many years under-ſheriff for that county.

Judith Clements—109.

Of Weſtfield, near Andover, Hants.

Paul Houſen—107.

Of Hedington, Norfolk; a German. He had been a reſident in ſeven kingdoms, ſerved ſeveral crowned heads, and fought under the Duke of Marlborough, in Queen Anne's reign.

Thomas Shepherd—108.

Of Ganlingay, Cambridgeſhire.

Joſhua Freeman, Esq.—102.

Near Maidſtone, Kent; formerly a commander in the royal navy.

Eſther

Eſther Wardlaw—103.

Of Dington, Northampton, widow.

Daniel Bennett—107.

Of Tinmouth, Northumberland; had been an out-penſioner of Chelſea-hoſpital for ſeventy-one years.

Helen Gray—105.

Of Lethem, near Coupar, in Fife, in Scotland.

Peter Marier—109.

Of Groningen, in Holland, fiſherman. His father was aged one hundred and ſeven; his grand-father one hundred and ſixteen.

Eſther Davies—103.

Of Liquorpond-ſtreet, London. Though ſhe ſubſiſted by charity, above thirty years, one hundred and ſixty pounds, in caſh, were found in her lodgings.

Patrick Blakeney, Eſq.—104.

Of Carrickfergus, in Ireland; was a captain in the Duke of Marlborough's army.

John Allaſon—103.

Of Stewarton, in Scotland.

Catha-

Catharine Hales—109.

Of Gourton, in the pariſh of Laſſwade, in Scotland.

A Man at Fladund, in Germany, aged one hundred. The year before his death, he did not appear to be more than ſeventy years of age, when he travelled from Fladund, the diſtance of ſixty miles, and performed the journey, on foot, in two days. His reaſon for undertaking this journey, at his very advanced time of life, was to preſent a petition to the Prince Biſhop of Oſnaburgh, praying that he would be pleaſed to give to one of his ſons the maſterſhip of a ſchool at Fladund, which was then vacant. The Biſhop, pleaſed with a ſight of a perſon, ſo venerable and old, yet ſtrong and vigorous, yielded to his requeſt, and gave orders that his ſon ſhould have the grant of the place immediately. The Biſhop entertained him many days in his palace, and gave him a new ſuit of clothes. He dined with him daily, had the old man's picture drawn by Mr. Teſel, painter to his Highneſs; and, on diſmiſſing him, preſented him with a conſiderable ſum of money, and ſettled a penſion on him for life. The Biſhop did not ſuffer him to return again on foot to Fladund, but ſent him home in one of his own coaches.

Peter

Peter Prinn—101.

Near Chriſtchurch, Surry, glaſs-blower.

William Roper—101.

Of Winfarthing, Norfolk.

John Brickley—104.

Of Deptford; formerly a ſurgeon in the army.

Robert Butterfield—102.

Of Halliſax, Yorkſhire, who, from forty years induſtry, as a wool-ſtapler, acquired a fortune of forty thouſand pounds, which he uſed as a father to the fatherleſs.

Spotſwood mentions one *Kentigem*, (afterwards called *St. Mongah*, or *Mungo*, from whom the famous well in Wales is named) who never taſted wine or ſtrong drink, after he came to years of underſtanding, and ſlept on the ground; notwithſtanding which he lived to the very extraordinary age of one hundred and eighty-five years.

Dr. Liſter mentions eight perſons, in the north of England, who were, on an average, one hundred and twenty years each.

1782.

John Beedel—100.

Of Tiverton, Devon. He left children, grand-children, and great grand-children, to the amount of two hundred and forty; one of his daughters having seventy children, and grand-children.

Stephen Brigg—110.

Of Hoober-hill, near Craven, Yorkshire.

John Nicholls—105.

Of Darlington, Durham, labourer.

Claud Amyot—105.

Of Canterbury, weaver; was a French refugee, and had resided in that city eighty years.

John Winshaw—107.

Of Godalmin, Surry.

Christopher Strickland, Esq.—102.

Of Chiswick, Middlesex.

Mr. Martens—100.

Of the Netherlands. His father was one hundred and four years of age; his mother one hundred.

John Iſles—103.

Of Bradford, Wilts; never was indiſpoſed till within a few days of his death.

Benjamin Parker—103.

Of Wrotham, Kent.

Rachael Street—114.

Of Crowcombe, Somerſet. About three years before her death ſhe loſt her ſight, but her other ſenſes remained perfect.

Robert Aſhley—100.

Of Streatham. He was gardener to a gentleman of the name of Stallard. The week before his death he walked to the Borough, and back again.

Mrs. Tuſon—103.

Of Wells, Somerſet; relict of George Tuſon, Eſq.

Henry Moulding—102.

Of Fareham. He ſerved in Queen Anne's wars, and plied the paſſage-boat from Fareham to Portſmouth ſixty years.

John Brown—110.

Of Foulis-caſtle, Roſsſhire.

Robert Blakeney, Esq.—114.

Of Armagh, in Ireland; was an officer in the army.

Jane Child—109.

Of Christchurch work-house. She lived in the parish upwards of ninety years.

Val. Cateby—116.

Of Preston, near Hull. He went to sea in his eighteenth year, and continued a sailor thirty-six years: he then commenced farmer, which occupation he followed thirty-six years. His diet, for the last twenty years, was milk and biscuit. His intellects were perfect, till within two days of his death.

Henry Lord—106.

Of Carr, in the forest of Rossendale. He was a soldier in the service of Queen Anne.

Leonard Nelson—103.

Of Camberwell, Surry, quaker; formerly a celebrated preacher.

Mrs. Stracey—104.

Of Stebbing work-house, Essex; widow of the Rev. Mr. Stracey, rector of that place.

Francis

Francis Miles—108.

Of Compton, Derbyſhire. He ſerved in King William's wars in Ireland, and afterwards under the Duke of Marlborough and Prince Eugene.

Mrs. Crouch—103.

Of Batchelor's alms-houſe, Green-walk, Surry.

Martha Ramſcar—106.

Of Stockport, Lancaſhire.

John Roberts—111.

Of Lantrithyd, Glamorganſhire, blackſmith.

John Wilſon—119.

Of Faverſham, Kent.

Mrs. Huntchback—100.

Of Featherſtone, Staffordſhire; relict of Peter Huntchback, Eſq.

Mr. Frank—109.

Of Pontefract, Yorkſhire.

Mr. Mordecai—103.

Of Croſby-ſquare, London; formerly a merchant in Germany.

Charles

Charles Leſlie—105.

Of Oldrain, Aberdeenſhire, ballad-ſinger.

Iſabel Tough—105.

Of Newbridge, near Aberdeen, in Scotland.

Catharine Daubenbulk—107.

Of the work-houſe at Dunkirk; a native of Flanders; had twenty-four children.

Mrs. Langdale—103.

Of Kennington-lane, Surry.

Richard Nicholſon—110.

Of the county of Antrim, in Ireland. He was three times tranſported for ſheep-ſtealing; but, notwithſtanding the many thefts in his youth, in a more advanced age he became remarkably pious.

John Wilſon—116.

Of Worlingworth, Suffolk. His ſuppers, for forty years, were roaſted turnips.

Elizabeth Driffield—103.

Of Newcaſtle.

Mr. Johnſon—103.

Of Chelſea, cheeſemonger.

Suſan

Suſan Eviſon—106.

Near Barnley, Lancaſhire.

William Thompſon—108.

Of North-Kyem, Lincolnſhire.

Barbary Softley—105.

Of Morpeth, Northumberland.

John Jenkins—111.

Of Weſterham, Kent, labourer.

Rebecca Wedman—105.

Of Deptford.

Martin Stephenſon—117.

Of Kentmeer, Weſtmoreland. He began his career in life with a capital of only ſixteen ſhillings, and ended it with leaving, by will, eighteen thouſand pounds, accumulated by induſtry and parſimony. He died a batchelor. His only domeſtics were his houſekeeper and his dog; and he left his whole fortune to a man, who was not related to him.

Mr. Taſker—103.

Near Peterſham, Surry, farmer.

Edward

Edward Drinker—103.

Of Philadelphia. He lived on very ſolid food, drank tea in the afternoon, but eat no ſupper. He was an amiable character, uniformly chearful and kind to every body: his religious principles were as ſteady, as his morals were pure. He was four times married, and had eighteen children, all by his firſt wife: loſt his teeth thirty years before he died, by drawing extremely hot tobacco.

The life of this man was marked with ſeveral circumſtances, which have ſeldom occurred in the life of an individual. He ſaw the ſame ſpot of earth covered with wood, and a receptacle for beaſts and birds of prey, afterwards become the ſeat of a city, not only the firſt in wealth and arts in the new, but rivalling in both, many of the firſt cities in the old world. He ſaw regular ſtreets, where he once purſued a hare; churches riſing upon moraſſes, where he had often heard the croaking of frogs; wharfs and warehouſes, where he had often ſeen Indian ſavages draw fiſh from the river for daily ſubſiſtance; ſhips of every ſize and uſe in thoſe ſtreams, where he had often ſeen nothing but Indian canoes; a ſtately edifice, filled with legiſlators, aſtoniſhing the world with their wiſdom and virtue,

virtue, on the ſame ſpot, probably, where he had ſeen an Indian council-fire. He ſaw the firſt treaty ratified between the newly-confederated powers of America, and the ancient monarchy of France, with all the formalities of parchment and ſeals, where he had ſeen William Penn ratify his firſt and laſt treaty with the Indians, without the formalities of pen, ink, and paper; he witneſſed all the intermediate ſtages through which a people paſs, from the loweſt to the higheſt degree of civilization; the beginning and the end of the empire of Great Britain in Penſylvania. He had been the ſubject of crowned heads, and afterwards died a citizen of the newly-created republic of America. He embraced the liberties and independence of America, and triumphed in the laſt years of his life in the ſalvation of his country.

Mr. Heidington—100.

Of Walworth, Surry; formerly an anchor-ſmith at Ratcliffe-croſs.

Archibald M'Calvin—101.

Of Mucairn, Argyleſhire, ſurgeon.

William White—102.

Of Eaſter-Hartſide, in Scotland.

Hugh

Hugh Jones, Esq.—104.

Of Angleſea, in Wales; formerly wholeſale warehouſe-man, in Lothbury.

Andrew Erſtain—107.

Of Cheſterfield, Derbyſhire, butcher.

Mrs. Simpſon—102.

Of Woolwich, Kent; relict of R. Simpſon, Eſq.

Margaret Champney—102.

Of Carlton, Yorkſhire, widow.

Mrs. Appleby—101.

Near Stebbing, Eſſex.

George Burgeſs—105.

Of the pariſh of Itham, near Seven-oaks, Kent, carpenter.

James Pearce—105.

Near Beamiſter, Dorſet; ſervant to farmer Pope there. He walked to market three or four miles every week, a ſhort time before he died. Farmer Pope had a gooſe eighty-ſix years old, which had been on the farm with four ſucceſſive tenants: the age of the man and the gooſe together

ther amounted to one hundred and ninety-one, and both died in the ſame year.

This year, in Amſterdam, thirty-five perſons died, whoſe age each, on an average, amounted to one hundred years.

1783.

Mr. Wrench—101.

Of Fulham, Middleſex, gardener. He had, by two wives, thirty-two children; and died in the ſame room in which he was born.

Margaret Melvil—117.

Of Ketle, Fifeſhire. She had ſix children, ſeventeen grand-children, and thirty-ſeven great grand-children. She renewed ſeveral teeth at one hundred years of age; never had an hour's illneſs, and could ſee and hear well till the day before her death.

Thomas Poxton—108.

Of Preſton, Lancaſhire; formerly a quack doctor. He attended Ormſkirk market, being twenty miles diſtant, conſtantly, till within a few years of his death: was healthy and vigorous to the laſt, and was generally known by the name of *Mad Roger*.

Mary

Mary Cadenhead—103.

Of Aberdeen, in Scotland.

James Smith—106.

Of Alva, near Banff, in Scotland, farmer.

Mary Pritchard—103.

Near St. Alban's; a widow lady.

Mary Tate—116.

Of Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

Signora Cervetto—102.

A celebrated muſician. Having an extraordinary large noſe, he was known by the appellation of *Noſee*. At the great age of one hundred, he attended the muſical feſtival at Saliſbury.

John Sylveſter—107.

Of Tinmouth-haven.

Mary Anne Archambault—101.

Of Paris.

John Hamilton—103.

Near Seven-Oaks, Kent; formerly a timber-merchant in Southwark.

William

William Thompſon, Eſq.—108.

Of North Keyme, Lincolnſhire. He enjoyed a good ſtate of health, ſmoaked two pipes, and drank ſome ale, on the day of his death.

Alexander Macdonald—113.

Of Fontainbleau. He was in the grand rebellion in the year 1715, and eſcaped in a veſſel from Dunkeld, with ſeveral rebel officers.

Edmund Price—102.

Of Stapleton, Leiceſterſhire, grazier.

John Rogerſon—102.

Of Johnſon, in Scotland.

Mrs. Boſton—109.

Of the hoſpital at Temple-Balſall, Warwickſhire, widow; lived in the hoſpital fifty-four years. A few months before her death, ſhe walked two miles, to Knowls, to ſee her grandchildren.

Ely Whiteley—102.

Of Blackhouſe, near Halliſax.

William Briſcoe—101.

Of Park-gate, Lancaſhire.

Anthony

Anthony Loydi—114.

Of Amezquet, in the province of Guipuſcoa, huſbandman; never had any ſickneſs but the oppreſſion of his lungs, with which he was ſeized a few days before his death. He always had an averſion to phyſic, and refuſed to take what was ordered him during his illneſs: he retained his ſenſes, and had all his teeth and hair, to the day of his death. He ate nothing but bread made of Turky wheat, and conſtantly abſtained from wine and tobacco.

Anthony Maſcarenhas—110.

Of Liſbon; a negro; was born at Madringa, in Africa. He had been a ſlave to counſellor Don Joſeph Maſcarenhas Pacheco, with whom, like a faithful ſervant, he had remained eighteen years in priſon.

Alexander Mackintoſh—112.

Of Marſeilles. For the laſt ten years he lived entirely on vegetables, and enjoyed a good ſtate of health, till within two days of his death. He was born at Dunkeld, in Scotland; but being in the rebellion, in the year 1715, was obliged to leave his country, from which time, he reſided at Marſeilles on a ſmall penſion allowed him by ſome of the Pretender's family.

John

John Creſy—102.

Of Aynsford, Kent.

Mary Johnſon—103.

Of Cary, Staffordſhire.

William Towſon—104.

Of Durham; formerly a foot ſoldier under the Duke of Marlborough.

Mary Worſley—105.

Of Appleby, Weſtmoreland.

Alexander Kilpatrick, Eſq.—116.

Of Longford, in Ireland; was formerly colonel of an Iriſh regiment of foot, and ſerved under John, Duke of Marlborough.

Jeremiah Woodgate—107.

Of Ilford, Eſſex. He followed the occupation of a travelling cooper near ſixty years.

Suſannah Evanſtone—108.

Of Simmerſtone, Lancaſhire.

John Owen—101.

Of Gwrwarry, South-Wales.

Mrs.

Mrs. St. John—102.

Of Edgeware-road, near Paddington; a maiden lady.

Andrew Buchols—115.

Of Tucheim, in the duchy of Magdeburgh; had been a ſoldier from his youth, and ſerved at the battle of Malplaquet.

John Wilſon—105.

Of Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

Mrs. Cotes—101.

Of Woolſthorpe, near Belvoir-caſtle.

Mrs. Bancart—100.

Of Leiceſter. She could read without ſpectacles, till within a fortnight of her death. Her huſband died a few years before, aged one hundred and four.

George Goodwin—103.

Of Macclesfield Foreſt. He could repeat, without book, any paſſage in the Scripture, and retained all his faculties till his death.

Mrs. Worſley—105.

Of Apſley.

Eliza-

Elizabeth Clark—104.

Of Troup, near Banff, in Scotland. She had reſided in the pariſh of Slains one hundred and one years.

James Le Meaſurer—118.

Of St. Jean Pied de Port, in Navarre; was born in that town, and never twenty miles from it. His common food, for ſome years, was vegetables.

Mrs. Holmes—114.

Of Liverpool. She was married at forty-eight years of age, and had ſix children.

William Kirkby—102.

Of Bonby, near Barton, Lincolnſhire.

1784.

John Smith—105.

Of Derby.

Robert Boon—102.

Of Beccles, Suffolk.

Mr. Peck—100.

Of Bath, muſician.

Rev. W. Stockwood—100.

Was prebendary of Weſtminſter, rector of Okely, Surry, and Henley upon Thames. He conſtantly performed divine ſervice till within ten years of his death.

George Harding—111.

Of Mancheſter. He ſerved as a private ſoldier in the reigns of Queen Anne, George I. and George II.

Mary Firth—111.

Of Marſden, in the pariſh of Almondbury.

John Nicholls—107.

Of Darlington, Durham.

Lewis Jones—113.

Of Llanowedyn, Montgomeryſhire.

Mrs. Poore—108.

Of Romſey, Hants, widow.

Jeremy Laing—103.

Near Merton-Abbey. He walked to town, and back again, every day, till within a few months of his death.

Hugh

Hugh Rowland Hughes—115.

Of Alnwick, Northumberland; married four wives, by whom he had twenty-three children.

Mr. Barrett—100.

Of Yarmouth.

Elizabeth Broadmead—117.

Of Wilton, Somerſet.

Jane Pritchard—103.

Near St. Alban's.

James Bryan—107.

Of Tallenſtown, county of Louth, Ireland.

Thomas Edgar—108.

Of Lakehead, in the pariſh of Kirkmahoe, Edinburgh. He had read for many years with ſpectacles; but about twenty years before his death, he ſo much recovered his ſight, as to be able afterwards to read the ſmalleſt print without them.

Mrs. Jenkins—102.

Of Northorp, Flintſhire

Walter Watſon—104.

Of Liverpool. He enliſted for a ſoldier in the year 1702.

Elizabeth Jack—105.

Of Edinburgh.

George Sims—102.

Of Great Peter-ſtreet, Weſtminſter.

Abigail Sewell—105.

Of Falſtead, Eſſex.

Patrick M' Donaldſon, Eſq.—108.

Of Baltimore, in Ireland.

Elizabeth Taylor—103.

Of Drig, Cumberland.

Suſannah Eviſon—108.

Near Barnley, Lancaſhire.

Matthew Jackſon—100.

Near Hawkſhead, Lancaſhire. He was married about eighteen months before his death.

Mr.

Mr. Brook—103.

Of Rotherhithe, maſt-maker.

William Painter—104.

Of Eaſtnor, near Ledbury.

Mr. Whip—115.

Of Biſhop-Wilton, near York, farmer.

Peter Smith—100.

Of Plaſſey, Eſſex, quaker.

Mr. Froome—125.

Of Holmes-chapel, Cheſhire. This patriarchal rarity was gardener to the Hon. John Smith Barry, who, in conſideration of his great age, and long ſervices, left him an annuity of fifty pounds, which he enjoyed, with unuſual health, till about two years before his death. He left a ſon aged ninety years.

Thomas Kaſpruck—118.

Of Helleſchau, in Moravia, weaver. He never had any illneſs, in that long life; and, till the day of his death, he retained the uſe of his ſenſes. He continued to work at his trade till he was one hundred and fourteen years old.

Mar-

Margaret Scurral—108.

Of Honiton, Yorkſhire.

Mary Cameron—128.

Of Brae Mar, in Inverneſs. She retained her ſenſes to the laſt. She remembered the rejoicings at the reſtoration of Charles II. Her houſe was an aſylum to the exiled Epiſcopal Clergy at the Revolution, and to the gentlemen who were proſcribed in the years 1715 and 1745. Upon hearing that the forfeited eſtates were reſtored, ſhe exclaimed, "Let me now die in "peace; I want to ſee no more in this world."

General Gaſtheim—100.

Of Peſt, in Hungary. He had been an adjutant to Prince Eugene, and was a contemporary with General Oglethorp.

Mr. Stahr—118.

Of Leignitz, in Sileſia. He ſerved under Sobieſky, King of Poland, when that monarch led an army, in 1684, to the relief of Vienna, at the time that city was beſieged by the Turks. He did not accept of his diſcharge, till he was ſeventy years old.

Donald

Donald M' Kean, alias M' Donald—109.

Of Morven, Argyleſhire. He eſcaped from Glencoe, at the time of the maſſacre there, in 1692.

1785.

Mrs. Wilkins—105.

Of Cowbridge, Glamorganſhire; a widow lady.

John Wigmore, Eſq.—101.

Of Dunmore, Eſſex.

Roger Warne—100.

Of Stratford, near Saliſbury.

Maria Anne Moſes—100.

Of White-chapel, London; a rich Jeweſs. She left one thouſand pounds among the poor of her own religion.

Hannah Heal—100.

Of Midſummer-Norton. She enjoyed good health, and retained her ſenſes to the laſt. She was carried to church by four of her great grand-children, below which there are two generations. It is ſuppoſed that her children, grand-children, &c. are little ſhort of five hundred.

Chriſtian

Chriſtian Jones—105.

Of Northorp, Flintſhire.

Chriſtian Gavin—103.

Of Aberdeen.

Joſeph Bond—102.

Of Aglionby, Cumberland, quaker.

Eleanor Hinds—106.

Of Dublin.

Richard Spencer—100.

Of Scarborough.

Anne Simms—113.

Of Studley-green, Wilts. Till within a few months of her death, ſhe was able to walk to and from the ſeat of the Marquis of Lanſdown, near three miles from Studley. She had been, and continued, till upwards of one hundred years of age, the moſt noted poacher in that part of the country; and frequently boaſted of ſelling to gentlemen, the fiſh taken out of their own ponds. Her coffin and ſhroud ſhe had purchaſed, and kept in her apartment more than twenty years.

Richard

Richard Fuller—100.

Of Edgware, Middleſex.

Mary M'Donnell—118.

Of Magheratempany, near Ballynahinch, in the county of Down, in Ireland. She was born in the iſle of Sky, in Scotland, which place ſhe left in the year 1688, and reſided afterwards in the county of Down. The year before her death, ſhe walked to Moira, fourteen miles, in one day, to ſee her landlord; and, in the year 1783, reaped her ridge of corn, as well as the youngeſt people in the country. When ſhe was at Moira, ſhe had all her ſenſes perfect, except a little weakneſs in her eyes, and ſeemed ſtrong, healthy, and active.

Jonathan Randolph, Eſq.—107.

Of Somerton, Somerſet. He practiſed as an attorney upwards of fifty years, by which he acquired a competent fortune; he had retired from buſineſs near thirty years.

Catherine Plumber—104.

Of Elsfield, Eſſex, widow. She ſpent eighty-ſeven years in the ſame pariſh, ſeventy of which were in a ſtate of widowhood.

John

John Maxwell—132.

Near Cefwick Lake, Cumberland; walked ten miles a few days before his death, and enjoyed, through his long life, exceeding good health and ſpirits. He left nine children, the youngeſt of whom was upwards of ſixty years old.

Hannah Sparke—107.

Of Willingborough, Northampton, widow.

Mrs. Carr—100.

Of the Key-ſide, Newcaſtle upon Tyne.

Mary Brown—102.

Of Sneinton, near Nottingham.

Lewis Morgan—101.

Of Llwringtdod, Radnorſhire; his death was occaſioned by a fall. He was in perfect poſſeſſion of his faculties, lived chiefly on vegetable diet, and drank frequently of the famous rock-water of Llandridod.

William Taſker—118.

Of Tamworth, Warwickſhire.

William Auld—101.

Of Aberdeen, huckſter.

Mr.

Mr. Smith—103.

Of Dolver, Montgomeryſhire, farmer. He was never known to drink any thing but butter-milk.

Mrs. Watſon—104.

Of Brompton, near Chatham; a widow lady.

Walter Murray—100.

Of Holyrood-houſe.

John Mackie—103.

Of Campbell, farmer; died in the pariſh of Darly, Ayrſhire. His head was laid in the grave by his eldeſt ſon, aged ſeventy, aſſiſted by thirteen other ſons, thirty grand-ſons, and twenty great grand-ſons.

M. Clooſter—125.

Of Beeſton, Weſtphalia. He ſerved as an officer in the armies of the Emperor, and the Kings of Sweden and Denmark, near a century.

Cardinal de Salis—110.

Archbiſhop of Seville. He enjoyed to the laſt every faculty, except ſtrength, and hearing. He uſed to tell his friends, when aſked what regimen he obſerved, "By being old when

"I was

" I was young, I find myſelf young now I am " old. I led a ſober, ſtudious, but not a lazy, or " ſedentary life. My diet was ſparing, though " delicate; my liquors, the beſt wines of Xerez " and La Mancha, of which I never exceeded a " pint at any meal, except in cold weather, when " I allowed myſelf a third more. I rode or " walked every day, except in rainy weather, " when I exerciſed for a couple of hours. So " far I took care for the body: and, as to the " mind, I endeavoured to preſerve it in due tem- " per, by a ſcrupulous obedience to the divine " commands, and keeping (as the Apoſtle directs) " a conſcience void of offence, towards God and " man. By theſe innocent means I have arrived " at the age of a patriarch, with leſs injury to my " health and conſtitution, than many experience " at forty. I am now, like the ripe corn, ready " for the ſickle of death; and, by the mercy of " my Redeemer, have ſtrong hopes of being " tranſlated into his garner." " Glorious old " age!" ſaid the King of Spain: " Would to " Heaven he had appointed a ſucceſſor! for the " people of Seville have been ſo long uſed to " excellence, they will never be ſatisfied with the " beſt prelate I can ſend them." The Cardinal was of a noble houſe, in the province of Anda-

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luſia, and the laſt ſurviving ſon of Don Antonio de Salis, hiſtoriographer to Philip IV. and author of *The Conqueſt of Mexico*.

1786.

William Wilday—101.

Of Dunton-Baſſet, Leiceſterſhire.

David Levi Solomons—100.

Of Moorfields, London; a Jewiſh rabbi.

Charles Blizard—107.

Of Newnham, near Oxford, farmer. He was one of the moſt corpulent men in the county.

Elizabeth Curril—100.

Of Liverpool.

Anne Davis—102.

Of Tetbury, Glouceſterſhire. She had the perfect uſe of her faculties, till the laſt minute of her life. She had not been out of her room for upwards of thirty years, nor ever, during that period, even in the moſt extreme cold weather, would ſuffer any fire in her chamber.

Eſther

Eſther Richardſon—109.

Of Langton, on the Wolds.

Charles Studwick, Eſq.—101.

Of the New-Foreſt, Hants.

Mrs. Hunter—106.

Of Scarborough.

Mrs. Maſon—100.

Of Stoken-church, Oxfordſhire.

Eleanor Railſton—102.

Of Jarrow-quay, Yorkſhire.

Iſabella Dryden—105.

Of Woolwich. She had been twice in America after ſhe was eighty-five years of age, and retained her ſenſes to the time of her death.

Magnus Reid—114.

Of Dunbar. When about eighty years of age, he commenced travelling-chapman, which he followed till within eight weeks of his death.

William

William Trundle—100.

Of Rotherhithe, farmer. He had lived in the ſame houſe eighty-two years, and had ſeen a complete change of all the inhabitants of the pariſh.

Mrs. Smith—108.

Of Hereford.

Louis Pancon—104.

Of the pariſh of St. Berſon, near Frigeac, in Quercy, labourer.

Joſeph Buller—114.

Of Paris; a native of Savoy.

Anne Merritt—107.

Of Aſhamſtead, Bucks.

Mrs. Heath—119.

Of Ottery, Devon. This lady perfectly recollected the landing of King William at Torbay, of which ſhe uſed frequently to converſe.

Gwenllian Thomas—108.

Of Cowbridge, Glamorgan.

Elizabeth Higton—107.

Of Smalley, Derbyſhire.

Mrs.

Mrs. Kerr—111.

Of Akeld, Northumberland. She retained her mental faculties to the laſt.

M. Oſtroki—125.

Of Zodorſky. He attended, as page, on John Sobieſki, when he relieved Vienna, beſieged by the Turks in 1683.

Paul O'Brien—105.

Of Aſſelar, county of Clare, in Ireland, cooper. He carried on his trade till within a few days of his death.

Gaunor Fychan—109.

Of Aber Cowarth, near Dinas Moddwy, Merionethſhire, in North Wales. She ſaved a conſiderable ſum of money by begging at her door, and was never ſeen a mile from home. She was followed to her grave by eighteen grand-children, twenty-five great grand-children, and four great great grand-children.

John Ferguſon—108.

Of Auchinbragate, in Strachan pariſh, Argyleſhire, farmer.

Vere-

Vereſimo Nogueira—117.

Of the pariſh of St. Joahnes de Godini, in the dioceſe of Oporto; was formerly a ſoldier, and was at the battle of Almanza. He always enjoyed good health; and it is not unlikely that he would have lived ſome years longer, had it not been for a fall, by which one of his legs was broken in three places, which occaſioned his death. He had all his teeth, and all his hair, a few of which only were grown grey; and he enjoyed all his faculties. This old man is a proof that an advanced age is not confined to the Northern climates.

Robert Hicks—104.

Of Hillington, Herts.

Ralph Wilſon—100.

Of Wolſingham work-houſe, Durham.

John Barnſley—101.

Of the Peak of Derby, labourer. He worked in the mines till within three weeks of his death.

John Dodd—100.

Of Leiceſter; was formerly a farmer in Warwickſhire.

Jonathan Ridgeway—100.

Of Manchester.

Mrs. Goldre—111.

Of Stonhouse, in Scotland.

Mary Bailey—106.

Of Smalley, Derbyshire.

Philip Louis de Vertot—129.

Near Montpelier, in the South of France. He left a son, aged ninety-eight years, and a grandson, who was seventy, on the 20th of August, 1786, on which day they all sat down to dinner together.

Mrs. M'Carthy—103.

Of Corke; widow of Capt. M'Carthy.

Mrs. Kent—103.

Of Bolsover, near Sheffield. Never having been visited by sickness, or heavy calamities, she retained her faculties unimpaired; and, till within a few months of her death, could walk, with such surprising activity, that she was able to attend the courts, which are held every three weeks at Bolsover, when the copy-holders in that parish are called over.

Daniel

Daniel Teare—110.

Of the iſle of Man, labourer.

1787.

George Buck—102.

Of Littlebury-Green, near Saffron-Walden, Eſſex.

John Hill—100.

Of Lutterworth, Leiceſter.

John Pengs—103.

Of a village, near Piritz, Pomerania. He was borne to his grave on ſheaves of corn, according to his deſire; and a ſpade, plough-ſhare, and hedging-bill, were placed on his coffin. He had cultivated upwards of two thouſand acres of land, and had bred twenty-five children, whom he had taught to be as induſtrious as himſelf.

Mrs. Bailey—105.

Of Liverpool. She retained her ſenſes to the laſt, was never bled or took medicine in her life, and read without ſpectacles. Her mother lived to the age of one hundred and ſixteen.

Tarquil M'Leod—113.

Near Stornoway, in the iſland of Lewis, in Scotland. He had fought at the battles of Killicrankie, Sheriffmuir, and Culloden, under the banners of the Stuarts. He ſent, in the year 1755, ſix ſons, to fight for King George, in the regiment then raiſed by Colonel Montgomery.

R. C. Latham—102.

Of Glaſgow.

Jonas Warren—107.

Near Baldoyle, in Ireland, fiſherman. He was ſuppoſed to be the father of his profeſſion in Ireland, having been ninety-five years in the practice of obtaining bread from the ocean. His appetite was ſo keen, that, within a few weeks of his death, he ate near three pounds of ſolids, and drank three pints of ale, at a meal.

Dennis Lynch—101.

Of Kilcullen, in Ireland.

Duncan Graham—108.

Of the Gorbals of Glaſgow; was a native of Kilmartin, Argyleſhire. He retained his ſenſes to the time of his death.

Jean

Jean Patz—109.

Of Cologne, in Germany; had been thrice married, and by his third wife he left a ſon twenty years of age.

Henry Sedgfield—107.

Of Edinburgh; formerly a mariner at Scarborough.

Lucinda Brien—108.

Of Limerick, in Ireland. Till within three months of her death, ſhe ſupported herſelf by ſelling fruit at a ſtall.

Thomas Gilburne—104.

Of Corke; was formerly a ſoldier, and ſerved in Queen Anne's wars, under the Duke of Marlborough.

Daniel Herliny—107.

Of Corke. He enjoyed perfect health till within three days of his death.

John Mannell—102.

Of Weſtleton, farmer. He was in good health, and walked about as uſual, till within three or four days of his death. He lived to ſee five generations of his offspring.

Suſan-

Suſannah Greenfield—105.

Of Potton, Bedford; a maiden lady. She had, for the laſt forty years, lived chiefly on flour proviſions, and her only drink was wine and water.

J. Weller, Eſq.—109.

Of Bradfield, Suſſex.

Mrs. Alchorne—104.

Of Drury-lane, London. She was formerly ſhewn about as the ſtrong woman.

Walter Henry Franklin—103.

Of Ryde, in the iſle of Wight.

Edward Gour—103.

Of the pariſh of Bryngwyn, Radnor.

Mrs. Pocklington—105.

Of Adam-ſtreet, Portman-ſquare, London.

Daniel Prim—104.

Of Whitechapel, London. He was a native of Colcheſter, and was bound apprentice, in King William's reign, to a weaver in London, where he continued till the time of his death; and followed that buſineſs till he reached his ninetieth year.

Andrew

Andrew Wilſon—123.

Of the pariſh of Galſton, Ayrſhire, farmer. He was born in the reign of King Charles II. and remembered the battle of Ayrmoſs, in the pariſh of Auchinleck; and of the dragoons ſearching his father's houſe, after the battle, for Mr. Cargill, and other Whigs. He walked till a day or two before his death, retaining his ſenſes perfect.

Rebecca Jenkine—110.

Of the pariſh of Cadoxton, near Neath, Glamorgan, widow.

1788.

Janet Allan—105.

Of Kilmarnock, Ayrſhire. She was born on the ſame day John Niſbet ſuffered martyrdom at the croſs of Kilmarnock, in the reign of King Charles II. About four years before her death her ſight returned, in a great meaſure, though it had been long dim, by reaſon of age. She went to kirk and market, till within a few days of her death.

Patrick Connolly, Eſq.—114.

Of Galloway.

Jonathan

Jonathan Simpſon, Eſq.—113.

He died at his ſon's houſe in Buckinghamſhire.

Mary Warder—106.

Of Chelſea. She had been married to three huſbands, the laſt of whom was a penſioner in that college. She was the mother of twenty-one children, fifteen of whom ſhe left living, and married. The number of her children, grand-children, and great grand-children, amounted to ſeventy-two.

Judith de Ligonier—100.

Of Caſtres, in France. She was couſin-german to General Ligonier.

Mr. Kirwan—127.

Of Ferns, in Ireland.

Henrietta Long—121.

Of Hoxton. She formerly ſold grey peas about the ſtreets of London.

Mr. Cromer—102.

Of Walworth, Surry.

Anne

Anne Clare—114.

Of Hemſtead, Herts. She was the relict of Colonel Clare, who ſerved under the Duke of Marlborough, and was killed at the battle of Blenheim.

Anne Butler—107.

Of Framlingham, Suffolk; a maiden lady; formerly maid of honour to Queen Anne, and a relation to the Duke of Ormond, on whoſe diſgrace ſhe retired to the above town.

Jaſper Thomas—105.

Of Hoxton; formerly a merchant of London.

M. George de Druſina—107.

Of Oſtend. He was born in France; but had been upwards of eighty years in the ſervice of the Emperor of Germany.

Mademoiſelle, jun.—102.

Of Bourdeaux. She was a nun of the Urſuline order, and had led an auſtere, religious life, till ſhe was one hundred years old: it was with regret that ſhe obeyed the poſitive orders of her ſuperior, to keep her room on account of her age.

Baron

Baron de Roſer—108.

Of Peterſburgh; brigadier in the Ruſſian army.

Mrs. Manſell—105.

Of Ballyſimon, near Limerick, in Ireland.

William Riddell—116.

Of Selkirk, in Scotland. This man, who, in the early part of his life was a conſiderable ſmuggler, and remarkable for his love of brandy, which he drank in very large quantities, was always ſo fond of good ale, that he never drank a draught of pure water. He was not a drunkard, but had frequent paroxyſms of drinking, which continued ſeveral ſucceſſive days. After his ninetieth year, he at one time drank for a fortnight together, with only a few intervals of ſleep in his chair. He was three times married: when he married his third wife, he was ninety-five years of age. He retained his memory, and other faculties, to his death. For the laſt two years of his life, his chief ſubſiſtence was a little bread infuſed in ſpirits and ale.

Thomas Ruſs, Eſq.—107.

Of Barnet; formerly a merchant of London.

Mary

Jane Mulholland—105.

Of Lurgan, Armagh; aunt to Richard Maginnis, Esq. member in the Iriſh parliament for Bangor.

Mary Ram—107.

Of Kieſby, near Falkingham, Lincoln, widow.

John Young—105.

Of Glaſgow hoſpital, weaver; was born in Cumbernauld, and wrought, for his own ſupport, till the age of ninety-nine, when he was received into the hoſpital, and was afterwards employed in winding yarn. A ſhort time before his death, (on a day for the purpoſe) he went out of the hoſpital with the reſt of the poor, to ſee their friends. His memory was very retentive, perfectly remembering the battle of the Boyne, and the maſſacre of Glencoe.

Mrs. Hop—100.

Of Arlington-ſtreet, London; lady of the late Baron Hop, formerly embaſſador from Holland.

Anne Malliſon—100.

Of Midhop, in the chapelry of Bradfield, near Sheffield.

Mrs.

Mrs. Lyng—107.

Of Langham, Norfolk, widow.

Mary Kerſhaw—103.

Of Pontefract, Yorkſhire.

Mrs. M'Ilroy—101.

Of Belfaſt, in Ireland.

John Bryſon—103.

Of Hollywood, in Ireland.

Robert Johnſon—100.

Of Wirkſworth, Derbyſhire; formerly a hoſier and worſted-maker at Braſſington, at which place he had a ſiſter living upwards of ninety.

Oliver Beſt—102.

Of Mortlake, Surry; formerly of the houſehold of King George I.

G. F. Moakes, Eſq.—107.

Of Barnet; formerly commander of an Eaſt-Indiaman.

John

John Henniker—101.

Of Camberwell, Surry, labourer.

Mary Wilkinſon—109.

Of Romald-kirk, a village in the north of Yorkſhire. She was a native of Lunedale, but, when arrived at years of maturity, ſhe changed her reſidence for the firſt-mentioned place. When ſhe was young, and in perfect health, ſhe walked ſeveral times to London; ſometimes in four days, though the diſtance is two hundred and ninety miles. At the advanced age of ninety, ſhe was deſirous of ſeeing the metropolis again; and, buckling a keg of gin, and a quantity of proviſions on her back, to ſupport her to the end of her long journey, ſhe left Romald-kirk, and reached London in five days, and three hours! An inſtance of vigorous age, not to be equalled by the boaſting pedeſtrians of the preſent day. She lived to ſee four kings reign; and is interred in a ſtately tomb, erected at the expence of the inhabitants of Romald-kirk, who eſteemed and reverenced her.

Jean Cayetan—130.

Of Teſontla, in New Spain; an Indian. She left a ſon, aged ſixty years.

1789.

1789.

Philip Coets—104.

Of Antwerp. He was a ſoldier from his youth, and ſerved in all the campaigns of Prince Eugene againſt the Turks. In 1717 he was at the capture of Belgrade. At forty years old he married, and lived with his firſt wife twelve years, by whom he had ſix children, and ten grand-children. At ſixty years of age he married again, and had eight children, from whom ſprang thirty grand-children. He was ſo ſtrong, that at ſeventy-three years of age, he lifted a butt of beer from a cart, without the leaſt trouble. Having loſt his ſecond wife, at ninety-two he married again, but had no children. He was always in health, and preſerved all his ſenſes, except his hearing, to the time of his death.

Thomas King, Eſq.—105.

Of Oſtend. He had many years been in the Emperor's ſervice, but had given up his commiſſion upwards of twenty years.

Mary Browne—104.

She reſided at Mr. Elliot's, St. Paul's church-yard, London.

Samuel

Samuel Rook Worrell—119.

Of Dunwich, Suffolk, fiſherman. He followed his employment, till within eleven years of his death.

Mrs. Dawſon—101.

Of Wakefield, Yorkſhire; a widow lady.

Jane Goodwin—101.

Of Newbold, near Cheſterfield, Derbyſhire.

Anne Aſhe—104.

Of the pariſh of Wigworth.

Mrs. Weldyn—106.

Of Peckham, Surry.

Mrs. Neave—102.

Of Needham-market, Suffolk.

Thomas Houlcroft—106.

Of Newburgh, in the iſle of Angleſea.

Abraham Meyer—106.

Of Copenhagen, in Denmark.

John Flannagan—102.

Of Corbally, in Ireland.

Marie

Marie de Chapelet—111.

Of Cronſtadt, in Ruſſia. She was ſiſter to M. de Reſen, brigadier in the Ruſſian ſervice; into which he entered in the reign of Peter the Great, and died, a few years ſince, at the age of one hundred and one years. The caſe of theſe perſons is the more ſingular, as, notwithſtanding their age, they preſerved their faculties, even to the laſt moments of their lives.

Eſther Barrow—105.

Near Neſton, Cheſter.

Mr. Coward—116.

Of Arnſide-caſtle, Weſtmoreland. He was able to read without ſpectacles to the time of his death. He lived in ſeven reigns: Charles II. James II. William, Anne, and the three Georges.

Robert Semple, Eſq.—106.

Of Kilbarchan, Renfrewſhire, in Scotland.

Thomas Dyche—102.

Of Uttoxeter, Staffordſhire. For ſome time he ſubſiſted on the benevolent contributions of his friends, which he was able to go about and collect a few days before his death.

Captain

Captain Ceſpedes—110.

Of the Caraccas. He belonged to the militia of Pardo, and was eſteemed a prodigy of that climate, where the life of the human race ſeldom exceeds ſixty years.

Thomas Loveday—101.

Of Scrooby, near Bawtry, Yorkſhire. He had followed the occupation of a blackſmith and farmer ſeventy-five years; and left a ſon, a farmer at the ſame place, aged ſeventy-five.

Benedict Pereyra—107.

Of Valbona, in Portugal, fiſherman. He continued to fiſh till he was one hundred and five years old; and the laſt two years of his life earned his living by mending nets.

Marion Gibſon—100.

Of Galſton. When ſhe was about ninety years of age, ſhe had a new ſet of teeth, and her eye-ſight was ſo clear, that ſhe could read the ſmalleſt print. A ſhort time before her death, ſhe walked to Irvine, a diſtance of thirteen miles from her place of reſidence, and returned the next day.

Patrick Flannagan—104.

Of Waterford, in Ireland, lime-burner.

Catharine Phelan—126.

Of Borris, Queen's-county, in Ireland.

John Price—100.

Of Coventry, Warwickſhire.

Anthony Van Ryſell—100.

Of Zwoll, in Holland. His wife died the year before, aged one hundred; they had been married ſeventy-five years.

John Salgado—112.

Of Quimbres, near Coimbra, in Portugal. He was never ſick, till within a few days of his death; never loſt a tooth; and his intellectual faculties never ſuffered decay, till within eight days of his death.

Sarah Jones—102.

Of Dublin, childbed-linen-maker. She was an inhabitant of St. Werburgh's pariſh upwards of ſixty years, and was the moſt eminent of her profeſſion the greater part of that time. She was active and healthy, and likely to live much longer, had ſhe not, ſome ſhort time before her death, received a fall, which bruiſed and injured her very much. Her eye-ſight never failed her, nor did ſhe ever uſe ſpectacles.

Frances

Frances Barton—107.

Of Horſley, Derbyſhire, midwife. She followed her profeſſion upwards of eighty years. She well remembered the revolution in 1688, and danced at a merry-making on that glorious occaſion. Her huſband had been ſexton of the pariſh-church ſeventy years; and this ancient pair frequently baoſted, that *ſhe* had twice brought into the world, and *he*, had twice buried, the whole pariſh.

Edward Mac Menemon—109.

Of Bellault, in Donoughmore, Donegal.

1790.

William Troughton—102.

Of Welcome Nook, in the pariſh of Corney, Cumberland.

Mary Jackſon—104.

Of Cropton, near Pickering, Yorkſhire.

Michael Moet—101.

Of the Hague. He was a penſioned ſerjeant, and had been in his country's ſervice, from the year 1728. He left a widow, aged eighty-nine, to whom he had been married ſeventy-three years.

Hannah Jenk—103.

Of Sutton, near Bingham, Nottinghamſhire, widow.

Mrs. Dick—105.

Of Braid's Burn, near Edinburgh.

Jane Monks—104.

Of Leigh, Lancaſter. She retained all her faculties till within a few hours of her death; and, except for the laſt five years, earned her maintenance by winding yarn.

Alexander Deane, Eſq.—100.

Of Ipſwich, Suffolk.

Bridget Seaver—108.

Of Redmond's Hill, Dublin.

Anthony Noble—115.

Of Miltown, near Dublin, gardener to Henry Bevan, Eſq. This very old man worked in his garden till within a few days of his death.

Mary Roſe—101.

Of Kingſwood, near Bath. She never knew a day's illneſs, and was gathering herbs two hours before her death.

Rev.

Rev. Patrick Curtin—101.

Of Dyſart, in Ireland.

John Buchanan—103.

Of Fintry Mill, Edinburgh.

Mr. Croſs—105.

A domeſtic in the ſervice of H. Berens, Eſq. at St. Mary Cray, Kent. When —— Onſlow, Eſq. ſold the eſtate, he delivered Old Croſs, with his jack-aſs, to draw water, and ſtipulated with the purchaſer that he ſhould maintain him for life.

James Peters—107.

Of Dundee; a travelling packman. Although he often ſlept in the fields and ſhades, he enjoyed an uninterrupted ſtate of good health; and, until the laſt year of his life, retained his memory. His ſtrongeſt beverage was ſmall beer.

Madame Brolard—101.

Of Roche chouart, in Poictou. She was a great floriſt, and formerly noted for her diſplay of powers on the hydraulic organ.

James Swarberick—102.

Of Nateby, near Garſtang, Lancaſhire.

Moſes

Moſes Rodez—103.

Of Pignigni, in Picardy. He was a learned Poliſh Jew.

Margaret M'Carthy—103.

Of Cork. She lived abſtemiouſly, and was very regular at her meals.

Mrs. Todd—105.

Of Richmond, Yorkſhire. She always enjoyed good health; and her ſight to the laſt was ſo ſtrong, that ſhe never had occaſion for glaſſes.

John Coomer—102.

Near Havant, Hants, farmer. He retained his ſenſes till within a week of his death, and took an account of the quantity of wheat then grown in each field, in the time of harveſt, as it was bound and carted.

James Quanbrough—102.

Of Bourn, Lincolnſhire. He was upwards of forty years collector of the tolls of that place. He lived alone in the moſt parſimonious manner, and was found dead in his bed. Upwards of three hundred pounds were diſcovered in holes and corners of his room, which he had not quitted for the laſt ſeven years.

Thomas

Thomas James, Esq.—100.

Of Carnew, county of Wicklow, in Ireland.

Joseph Peale—107.

Of Maryport, Cumberland. This extraordinary person, who resigned his breath in the same cottage he received it, was apprentice to a rope-maker in Whitehaven, in the reign of Queen Anne, from whence being impressed, he served in the wars during her reign. He afterwards married, and had twelve children by one wife, who died several years before him; and he never suffered himself to be shaved after that period. His chief attendant, for many years past, was a maiden daughter, who, at his death, was eighty years of age.

Mary Tench—100.

Of Crumlin, in Ireland. Her father lived to the age of one hundred and four years, her mother to that of ninety-six, and her uncle to the age of one hundred and ten. She left two sisters, whose ages added together make one hundred and seventy years.

Francis Nenez—119.

Of Caldas, in Portugal; a mechanic.

Anne

Anne Bannerman—105.

Of Aberdeen. She latterly ſubſiſted on vegetables, and ſmall beverage.

John Plover—108.

Of Witnall, near Coventry. Was uſually known by the appellation of *Old Blue-ſkin.* He lived a ſervant in the Beauwater family near fifty years, and afterwards built himſelf a cottage at Winall, near the turnpike road, where he lived to ſee the trees he planted round it become large timber. He had ſeveral of his teeth when he died, and retained his memory to the laſt. He obtained the name of *Blue-ſkin,* from having frequently, when a young man, been beaten black and blue: for, being a hardy fellow, and having a good deal of ſpirit, his body was ſeldom without bearing the marks of his adverſaries' blows, as he had himſelf acknowledged. He received relief from the pariſh; but his life was rendered as comfortable as poſſible, by the kind attention of Lord Craven, and ſome other friends, who ſupplied him with every thing he wiſhed for. He was handſomely buried at Coventry, at the expence of Edward Inge, Eſq. of the Charter-houſe, near that city.

Iſaac

Iſaac Hyde—102.

Of Aſhley, Lancaſhire. He left behind him eleven children, forty-three grand-children, and forty-one great grand-children.

Dorothy Fletcher—102.

Of Alderwaſley, Derbyſhire. The ſummer before her death ſhe got her ſubſiſtence by daily labour in the fields, and continued in her uſual health, till within a few hours of her death.

James Cree—107.

Near Donaghadee, in Ireland, farmer.

William Marſhall—117.

Of Pillnear, near Newton Stewart, Cumberland, a travelling tinker. He followed his buſineſs the year before he died, and was more active than moſt men at ſixty. He had an unuſual flow of ſpirits, and frequently entertained his friends with a ſong, but a few weeks before his death, when he expreſſed his hopes of living twenty years longer.

William Troughton—102.

Of Welcome Nook, in the pariſh of Corney, Cumberland, farmer.

Hon.

Hon. Mrs. Watkins—110.

Of Glamorganſhire. This lady was amongſt the moſt extraordinary inſtances of longevity in her time, being more remarkable than either Old Macklin, or Lord Mansfield. The year before her death, ſhe undertook a journey from Glamorgan to London. The cauſe of it was almoſt as extraordinary, as the thing itſelf: it was to ſee Mrs. Siddons; and ſhe ſaw her act nine times. This old lady was happy in equal activity of mind and body. One morning, after ſitting for her portrait, and diſpatching ſome buſineſs in the city, ſhe mounted, though with ſome difficulty, to the whiſpering-gallery of St. Paul's. A few days after, ſhe left London, and, with her three grandchildren, returned, with no particular precautions, to Glamorgan. She was remarkable for regularity and moderation. For the laſt thirty years, ſhe ſubſiſted entirely on potatoes.

Hugh Llewellyn—115.

Of Lean Cadwaller, in North-Wales. He was well known in the neighbouring counties for his muſical ſkill, and was much celebrated by his performance on the Welch harp; on which inſtrument few have excelled him, and on which he performed till within a fortnight of his death.

Mr.

Mr. Macleod—102.

Of Inverneſs, in Scotland. At the age of one hundred, he performed a journey from the place of his reſidence to London on foot, which is five hundred and fifty miles, in nineteen days, without the leaſt relief on the road. His object was, to ſolicit an increaſe of his penſion, in conſequence of his having married a ſecond wife, by whom he had a ſon. He was remarkably ſtout, of a florid complexion, and his hair perfectly white. He firſt enliſted in the army, two years previous to Queen Anne's aſcending the throne, and ſerved in Germany, under the great Duke of Marlborough, in all that queen's wars.

Elizabeth Gibbon—100.

Of Port-royal, Jamaica; of which place ſhe was a native.

Mary Burke—105.

Of Stewart's Rents, Drury-lane, London.

Annas Briſto—102.

Of Moſs Dale, in the pariſh of Calbeck, Cumberland. She was one of the people called Quakers.

John

John Jacob—128.

The celebrated patriarch of Mount Jura; from the inhabitants of which place (who were formerly in a ſtate of vaſſalage) he was ſent, in 1789, as a deputy to the National Aſſembly of France, to return thanks, in the name of his countrymen, for the bleſſings of liberty diffuſed amongſt them, by the abolition of the feudal ſyſtem. This venerable old man, at the age of one hundred and twenty-ſeven, was led into the hall by his daughter; and, after having been introduced to the aſſembly, was ſeated oppoſite to the preſident. He was received with that reſpect which all wiſe nations pay to age, for on his entrance all the members ſtood up, and he was deſired to ſit covered, which he accordingly did, with the patriotic cockade in his hat. A ſubſcription was immediately made for his ſupport, and the king granted him a penſion. After being a ſpectator of the greateſt part of the reign of Louis XIV., and of all that of Louis XV., by a ſingular deſtiny, he had been conducted to the preſence of Louis XVI. The committee of his diſtrict, in conformity with the reſpect ſhewn by the king, and the national aſſembly, followed the hearſe at his funeral, which was uncommonly pompous and ſolemn.

Rev.

Rev. Mr. Davies—105.

Of Hereford; rector of Staunton-upon-Wye, and vicar of All Saints, Hereford. The laſt thirty-five years, he never uſed any other exerciſe than that of ſlipping his feet one before the other, from room to room; and they never were after that time raiſed up, but to go down or up ſtairs. His breakfaſt was hearty, of hot rolls and butter. His dinner was ſubſtantial, and conſiſted of a variety of diſhes, at leaſt during the carnival every ſummer, at Lord Bateman's ſeat at Shobden Court. At his ſupper he generally eat roaſt meat, and always drank moderately of wine. He had neither gout, ſtone, or cholic; lived beloved by all who knew him, and died without poſſeſſing thoſe diſagreeable infirmities, which generally attend old age. He was, as moſt long-livers are, very ſhort.—What will the advocates for exerciſe and temperance ſay to this?

John Pride—100.

Of Coventry.

Mrs. Loder—102.

Mother to Mr. Loder, of the Ordnance-office.

Anthony Deane, Eſq.—100.

Of Clifton; late of Whittington, Worceſterſhire.

Mary

Mary Lacey—102.

Of the Horſeferry-road, Weſtminſter. She was born in the ſame houſe ſhe died, as were her mother and grand-mother. The grand-mother died in it, at the time the great fire raged in the year 1666. Mary Lacey (well known by the name of Molly Moore) was in full poſſeſſion of all her faculties to the laſt. She was a dealer in vegetables, which ſhe fetched herſelf but a ſhort time previous to her death.

John Michiel—101.

Of the Hague; a great and regular ſmoaker of tobacco.

Anne Pilcher—103.

Of Boxley, Kent.

Maurice Supple—114.

Of Kerry, in Ireland.

Mrs. Barry—103.

Of Doctors' Commons, London.

Sarah Sherdley—105.

Of Maghull. She was an ideot from her birth.

Alex-

Alexander Clugston—105.

Of the parish of Irongray, in Scotland, farmer.

Isaac Hibbits—100.

Of the county of Gallway, in Ireland, labourer. He had seven wives, in the last thirty years of his life, and by each of them had children.

Mrs. Cradock—102.

Relict of the Rev. W. Cradock, formerly rector of Rickinghall Superior, Suffolk.

1791.

Mrs. Magee—102.

Of Limerick, in Ireland. She left behind her seventy-four children, grand-children, and great grand-children.

Mary Clements—105.

Of the parish of St. George, Gloucestershire. She was many years a pauper, and was in full possession of her senses to the last hour of her life.

Mary Smith—100.

Of Wood Ditton, near Newmarket, widow. She celebrated her century but the Sunday before her death.

Sarah

Sarah Gunſton—103.

Of the pariſh of St. Giles, in the ſuburbs of the city of Oxford. She had been a widow upwards of half a century.

Archibald Cameron—122.

Of Keith, in the Highlands of Scotland. He died without pain, groan, or previous ſickneſs. This poſt-diluvian patriarch had ſerved ſeven lords of the iſle in the employment of domeſtic piper, during the courſe of ninety-four years, but his fingers at length failing, he ſubſiſted on a ſmall penſion allowed him by the family.

Mrs. Poor—101.

Of an alms-houſe in Saliſbury, widow.

Bartholomew Rymer—100.

Of Rippon, Yorkſhire; a man of good health, and great activity. He was game-keeper to Sir Bellingham Graham, Bart. of Norton Conyers, and ſhot game flying in his ninety-ninth year.

Mrs. M'Intoſh—120.

Of Aſhintully, Perthſhire. This venerable lady bore her firſt child before the revolution in 1688, and her laſt after the rebellion in 1715.

Mr.

Mr. Macdonald—101.

Of the Highlands of Scotland. He was a great pedeſtrian; and the year before he died, at the age of one hundred, undertook, for a wager, to walk ten miles in two hours and a half, which he performed. He was accordingly preſented to the king at Windſor, when his majeſty expreſſed his ſurpriſe at ſuch an exertion in a man upwards of one hundred years of age; and, with his wonted goodneſs and condeſcenſion, gave him the contents of his purſe—nine guineas and a half.

Jane Goſnal—104.

Of Liverpool.

Jonathan Hartop—138.

Of the village of Aldborough, near Boroughbridge, Yorkſhire. His father and mother died of the plague, in their houſe in the Minories, in 1666; and he perfectly well remembered the great fire of London. He was ſhort in ſtature; had been married five times; and left ſeven children, twenty-ſix grand-children, ſeventy-four great grand-children, and one hundred and forty great great grand-children. He could read to the laſt without ſpectacles, and play at cribbage

with the moſt perfect recollection. On Chriſtmas-day, 1789, he walked nine miles, to dine with one of his great grand-children. He remembered King Charles II. and once travelled from London to York with the facetious Killegrew. He eat but little, and his only beverage was milk. He enjoyed an uninterrupted flow of ſpirits. The third wife of this very extraordinary old man, was an illegitimate daughter of Oliver Cromwell, who gave with her a portion, amounting to about five hundred pounds. He poſſeſſed a fine portrait of the uſurper, by Cooper, for which a Mr. Hollis offered him there hundred pounds, but was refuſed. Mr. Hartop lent the great Milton fifty pounds, ſoon after the reſtoration, which the bard returned him with honour, though not without much difficulty, as his circumſtances were very low. Mr. Hartop would have declined receiving it, but the pride of the poet was equal to his genius, and he ſent the money with an angry letter, which was found among the curious poſſeſſions of that venerable old man.

Catherine Harvey—104.

Of Little Onn, Stafford. She left a ſiſter living, in the ſame pariſh, aged one hundred and two years.

Mary

Mary Halmſhaw—102.

Of Wakefield, Yorkſhire. She had been a widow upwards of fifty years, and her faculties were unimpaired to the laſt. Such was her health and activity, that, when in her ſeventy-ſeventh year, ſhe walked from Wakefield to London, a diſtance of one hundred and eighty-four miles, and returned again on foot.

Mary Couſen—103.

Of Wakefield, Yorkſhire.

William Billings—102.

Of Fairfield, near Langnor, Stafford. He was formerly a ſoldier in Queen Anne's wars; and was the laſt private, in England, who had ſerved under the great Duke of Marlborough.

Henrietta Martiel—104.

Near Dumfries, in the back ſettlements of Virginia; a native of Hanover. She lived in the ſervice of King George I. fifteen years, in Hanover twelve, in England three, in Jamaica twenty-three, and in Virginia fifty-three. She had ten children, twenty five grand-children, and forty-three great grand-children.

Frances Croſsley—109.

Of Rochdale, Lancaſter, widow.

William Brown—108.

Of Glaſgow, in Scotland.

Mr. Winterton—101.

Of Coventry, Warwickſhire, weaver.

Bridget Player—102.

Of St. Luke's work-houſe, London.

Rebecca Joſeph—100.

Of Malpas, near Newport, Monmouth, widow. She retained all her faculties to the hour of her deceaſe, and, till within about three years previous thereto, could walk, without the help of a ſtick. She was not known to have a fit of illneſs, from her infancy, ſufficient to confine her to her bed, till within about a month of her death. She lived a very temperate life, though ſhe had kept a little public houſe for ſeventy years. Her chief ſuſtenance, for the laſt two years, was brown ſugar and cold water.

Mrs. Blake—100.

Of Stratford, near Old Sarum.

Anne

Anne Thomas—105.

Of Bayvil, Pembrokeſhire. She knitted a pair of neat ribbed ſtockings, with great judgment, a few days before her diſſolution; and retained her faculties to the laſt moment of her exiſtence.

Anne Waters—104.

Of Broughton, Lancaſhire. Six months previous to her death, ſhe broke her arm, which was ſet and healed in a very ſhort time. One hundred and fifty perſons attended the funeral dinner, according to the cuſtom of that place.

Don Carlos Felix O'Neale—110.

Of Madrid. He was an old lieutenant-general in the Spaniſh ſervice, a great favourite of the monarch's, and had formerly been governor of the Havannah. He was the ſon of the celebrated Sir Neil O'Neile, of the province of Ulſter, in Ireland, who loſt his life at the battle of the Boyne, fighting for his favourite Monarch, James II. For this purpoſe he raiſed a brigade upon his own eſtate, which was confiſcated, and his poſterity obliged to ſeek fortunes in different parts of the globe.

Paſchal

Paſchal Seria—111.

Of Valentia. He ſubſiſted, towards the latter part of his life, principally on vegetables, and frequently ſmoaked tobacco.

Anne Young—102.

Of Newcaſtle.

Mrs. Wharton—103.

Of Thirſk, Yorkſhire. She was poſſeſſed of very extenſive landed property.

John Strachan—105.

Of Edinburgh, fleſh-cadie. He retained his ſenſes to nearly the time of his death, and ſeldom had any complaint. He recollected the time when no butcher would venture to kill any beaſt till all the different parts were beſpoke, meat being then an unſaleable article.

Sarah Price—103.

Of an alms-houſe, in Monmouth. When about fifty years old, ſhe could not ſee without the help of glaſſes; but, as ſhe further advanced in years, ſhe recovered her ſight to ſuch a degree, as to be able to thread the ſmalleſt needle, till within a few days of her deceaſe.

Mrs.

Mrs. Cooba—110.

Of St. Elizabeth's Iſland; a negro.

Mrs. Aſkham—101.

Of York.

Mrs. Rheam—101.

Of Copmanthorpe.

Abraham Fiſhpool—102.

Of the pariſh of Henbury, Glouceſterſhire. He enjoyed ſo uninterrupted a ſtate of health, that, till within the laſt ſix months, he conſtantly attended the gate between Kingſweſton and Henbury.

John Campbell—120.

Of Dungannon, in Ireland; was a native of Scotland, and formerly a marine. He was in the fleet when the boom was broken at Londonderry, in 1689; and was with Admiral Rooke, at the taking of Gibraltar. He was of low ſtature, had an aquiline noſe, and had loſt eye.

Thomas Wimms—117.

Near Tuam, in Ireland; was formerly a ſoldier, and fought at the battle of Londonderry, in 1701.

James

James Sampler—103.

Of Oſbaldwick, near York. He left a widow, to whom he had been married upwards of ſeventy years; and had never been confined a day to his bed, till that of his death.

Mary Bealey—102.

Of Great Boughton, Cheſter.

Alexander Dickie—101.

Of the lands of Auchluchries, in the pariſh of Cruden. He retained the uſe of all his ſenſes to the laſt, and never had, during his whole life, as he was wont to expreſs it himſelf, a ſore head, or ſick heart. His firſt wife died about fifteen years before him, in the one hundred and fifth year of her age. He married a ſecond wife, in his eighty-fifth year, who ſurvived him.

1792.

Judith Scott—102.

Of Iſlington.

Archibald Neſbitt—103.

Of Aughtyfarnale, county of Lanark, in Ireland.

Fre-

Frederick Harpe—120.

Of Fiſh-hill, Cumberland.

Matthew Tait—123.

Of Auchinleck, Ayrſhire; was formerly a ſoldier, and was at the taking of Gibraltar by the Britiſh, in 1704.

Blanch Littleton—101.

Of the pariſh of Llanlivery, near Loſtwithiel. Her death was occaſioned, it is ſuppoſed, by a fit, being found on the fire, burnt in a ſhocking manner, having fallen from the chair in which ſhe uſually ſat. Her grand-daughter had left the room but a few minutes.

Mary Bate—105.

Of Beighton, Derbyſhire; a pauper on the pariſh for thirty years.

Janet Towns—101.

Of Glaſgow.

Mrs. Lowdiſdon—103.

Of Boſton, Lincolnſhire, widow.

Mrs. Mawhood—100.

Of Pontefract, Yorkſhire.

Anne

Anne Froſte—111.

Of Weſt-Raiſin, Lincolnſhire. She was the wife of a labourer, had been married three times, and left a daughter ninety years of age. She was married to her laſt huſband in her ninety-third year. For many years paſt ſhe had lived on milk and tea diet.

John Aldebort—105.

Of the ſtate of Maſſuchuſett's, in America. He was a native of Poland, and boaſted a lineal deſcent from Aldebort, Archbiſhop of Oreſna, who converted the Poles from Paganiſm to Chriſtianity.

Mary Annett—103.

Of Sawford, Worceſterſhire.

Samuel Paudames—105.

Of Yeddington, near Malton, Yorkſhire.

Joan Harrington—101.

Of Redruth, Cornwall. She was a native of Ireland; and had reſided at Redruth about forty years. She retained her underſtanding to the laſt, but loſt her ſight about five years previous to her deceaſe.

John

John Roberts—103.

Of Digbeth, near Birmingham. He married three wives, by whom he had twenty-eight children; was nearly eighty when he married his laſt, by whom he had ſix of the children.

William Marſhall—120.

Of Kirkcudbright, in Scotland, tinker. He was a native of the pariſh of Kirkmichael, in the ſhire of Ayr. He retained his ſenſes almoſt to the laſt hour of his life; and remembered diſtinctly to have ſeen King William's fleet, when on their way to Ireland, riding at anchor in the Solway Frith, cloſe by the bay of Kirkcudbright, and the tranſports lying in the harbour. He was preſent at the ſiege of Derry, where having loſt his uncle, who commanded a king's frigate, he returned home, enliſted into the Dutch ſervice, went to Holland, and ſoon after came back to his native country. A great concourſe of people, of all ranks, attended his burial, and paid due reſpect to his age. The Counteſs of Selkirk, who, for a courſe of years, had liberally contributed to his ſupport, on this occaſion, agreeably to her wonted benevolence and compaſſion, diſcharged the expence of his funeral.

Mrs.

Mrs. Johnſon—120.

Of Deritend, Birmingham.

Mr. Hammond—107.

Of Senern-hall, Salop. He attained that great age, without experiencing the ſlighteſt illneſs.

Elizabeth Dowling—106.

Of Greenham-heath, Berks.

William Troy—120.

Near Waterford, farmer. A ſhort time before his death, he read very ſmall print without ſpectacles, and daily walked about his farm without ſupport.

William Ritchie—106.

Of Long Dalmahoy, in the pariſh of Ratho, in Scotland. He had been twice married, and had twenty-two children, alternately ſons and daughters; and enjoyed tolerable health till within three months of his death, when he became very feeble, but retained his ſenſes to the laſt.

Mrs. Clarke—102.

Of Snowden's hoſpital, in Stamford, Lincolnſhire. She left a ſiſter, aged one hundred years.

1793.

Richard Brent—110.

Of Briſtol, commonly called *Tom Thumb*; which appellation he acquired from ſelling Hiſtories of that little hero's life and adventures.

Mr. Robertſon—137.

Of Edinburgh. This modern patriarch had always lived in the family of the lords of that place, whom he ſerved in the capacity of inſpector of the lead works for four complete generations, beſides the time elapſed ſince the birth of the preſent poſſeſſor. His funeral was celebrated with a decency that did honour to his noble patron, who erected an elegant monument, with an inſcription, celebrating the zeal and fidelity of ſo old and worthy a ſervant during the ſpace of one hundred and twenty years.

Goodwife Mack—101.

Of Thurgaton. She was of a ſtrong, athletic conſtitution, and, until within a few weeks of her death, would occaſionally exerciſe herſelf in ſome of thoſe labours of the field and farm-yard, which are uſually allotted to men.

Michael

Michael M'Narvan—104.

Of the parish of Dalry, in Scotland, baron officer to Lord Galloway.

John Craig—111.

Of Kilmarnock. He served as a soldier in the North British dragoons, and was at the battle of Sheriffmuir, in 1715. He was never married, nor ever had any sickness, but worked, as a day labourer, till within a few days of his death, and retained his memory and senses to the last. There were found in his possession, secreted in an old chest, a number of crown and half-crown pieces, and other smaller coin.

Thomas Garrick—108.

Of Colleffie, in Fifeshire. A few months before he died, he was in the habit of walking a mile a day, and in his ninety-ninth year married a third wife.

Dennis O'Grady—106.

Of Thurles, county of Tipperary, in Ireland, farmer. He never experienced any very severe illness from his childhood, and retained his senses to the last. He left a wife aged ninety-nine years.

John

John Minniken—112.

Of Maryport, Cumberland. Towards the latter part of his long life, he became rather feeble. He however retained his ſight and memory to the laſt; though his hearing became very defective. He often related the following curious anecdote of himſelf, at which he ſeldom failed to laugh heartily, as well as his friends: About thirty years preceding his death, he ſold his head of hair to a perſon in a neighbouring town, for a penny-loaf per day, during the remainder of his life: the hair was cut off, and a note given for the performance of the covenant on the part of the purchaſer, who failed ſoon after. It is further worthy of remark, that more than twenty wigs were made of the hair of this ſingular perſonage, and that he poſſeſſed, but a ſhort time before his death, ſuch an abundance, as few people can boaſt of, even, in the vigour of youth.

Mrs. Pape—102.

Of Lincoln, widow.

Robert Williams—102.

Of Kingſwood, Bucks.

Hannah Cooke—100.

Of the Morledge, Derby.

Michael

Michael Fellerſon—104.

Of the ſtate of Maſſachuſetts. With a very trifling education, he had moſt induſtriouſly explored the operations of nature, and had written a very inſtructive tract on *The Law of Animal Growth.*

Duncan M'Cullum—104.

Of the Milton of Buchanan, in Scotland, weaver. He was remarkably active and ſtrong; and, but a few weeks before his death, he could walk with eaſe twenty miles a day.

William Nicholls—101.

Of Lench, Worceſterſhire, labourer. He was deſcended from Richard Nugent, ſtudent of Magdalen-college, Oxford, in the reign of King James I. and one of the diſtinguiſhed poets of that period.

Mrs. Burkin—101.

Of Mortlake, Surry.

Jahn Burgh—100.

Of Spalding, Lincolnſhire.

Mrs. Boardman—103.

Of Mancheſter, widow.

William

William Billings—114.

Of Fairfield-head, near Longnor, Staffordſhire; formerly a ſoldier. He travelled through this extenſive length of time free from ſickneſs, and at laſt expired without a groan. He was the only ſurviving private in England, who had ſerved under the great Duke of Marlborough. His life and death were equally extraordinary: he was born under a hedge, in the year 1679, not an hundred yards from the cottage where he died.

Matthew Champion—111.

Of Great Yarmouth; a very induſtrious man. At the decline of his life he was ſupported by a weekly payment from ſome of his benefactors, and the caſual gifts of others. He was born in French Flanders, in 1682, and came over to England with King William, in 1688. His father was a farrier in the King's army.

Rachel Huddy—100.

Of Hatch Beauchamp, Somerſet, midwife. She was blind the laſt eleven years; but, notwithſtanding her great age, and viſual infirmity, ſhe purſued her profeſſion, to the ſatisfaction of her employers, the laſt of whom ſhe delivered about ſeven weeks before her death.

Henry Smalwood—104.

Of Tenterden poor-houſe, Kent. He could read without ſpectacles to the day of his death; only two days before which, he walked ten miles.

Sarah Haynes—103.

Of Winford, Somerſet. Till within a year of her deceaſe, ſhe had been accuſtomed to knit ſtockings, of the fineſt texture. She had been the mother of eleven children, two of whom ſhe left living, a ſon aged ſeventy, and a daughter aged ſixty-ſeven, who were both deaf and dumb.

Mrs. Freeman—118.

Of Falmouth. Her ſight was not ſo quick, but her intellects were quite perfect to the laſt.

1794.

Owen O'Neill—102.

Of Dublin.

James Neil—107.

Of Brondy, near Langholm. He was a native of Bamffshire, and was at the battle of Sheriff-muir, in 1714, in Glenbucket's regiment of horſe.

Patrick

Patrick Stewart, Esq.—102.

Of Tophead, in Scotland. He was formerly a captain in the army.

Andrew Gammels—105.

Of Roxburgh, near Newton. He was a dragoon in Queen Anne's wars.

Francis Bone—104.

Of Tinker-row, near Ravenſdale, Northumberland.

Mr. Sherwood—105.

Of Stokeſley, in Cleveland. By uſing much exerciſe, and by temperate living, he enjoyed an unuſual ſhare of good health.

John Prichard—101.

Of Frankwell, Shropſhire, linen-draper. He had ten children by his firſt wife, and twenty-two by the ſecond, whom he left a widow.

Joſhua Crewman—123.

A penſioner of Chelſea-hoſpital. He ſerved as a ſoldier in the reigns of Kings George I. and II. and was diſcharged in the ſeventy-fourth year of his age.

Edward Lewis—104.

Of Hereford.

Edward Jones—100.

Of Alderbury, near Shrewſbury. He left a widow, aged ninety-nine years.

Martha Willard—100.

Of Grafton, in the ſtate of Maſſachuſett's, in America. She was relict of Major Joſeph Willard. Her poſterity conſiſted of twelve children, ninety grand-children, two hundred and ſix great grand-children, and forty-five of the fifth generation: amounting to three hundred and fifty-three.

Henry Wells—109.

Of Whitby, Yorkſhire. He was born four years before the landing of the Prince of Orange; he therefore, had ſeen the reigns of eight Britiſh monarchs. He enjoyed a ſound ſtate of health till a ſhort time before his death; but became almoſt blind, and was led through the ſtreets by a poor woman, carrying on his ſhoulders a ſample of mats for ſale, of his own manufacture.

Agnes Melvin—104.

Of New Machar, in Scotland.

Mrs.

Mrs. Middleham—101.

Of Holbeck, near Leeds, widow.

Mrs. Cope—100.

Of Culland, near Brailford, Derby.

Mr. Evans—101.

Of Fore-ſtreet, near Moorfields, London, ſilverſmith.

William Clayton—100.

Of Liveſey, near Blackburn, Lancaſter. The ſummer before his death, he was able to join in the labours of the harveſt; about which time he had a viſit from a venerable old man of the ſame age, who then lived about ten miles diſtant, and who ſaid he had walked the whole way, through a curioſity he had to ſee him.

Elizabeth Hayes—110.

Of Park-lane, Liverpool.

Mrs. Seal—101.

Of an alms-houſe in Bury. In the former part of her life, ſhe was remarkable for her induſtry, but had been many years bed-ridden, and ſupported principally by pariſh relief.

Mrs.

Mrs. Warren—112.

Of Tollagh, county of Dublin. She had a grand-ſon and grand-daughter, who were grand-father and grand-mother to children upwards of twenty years of age. Her brother died two years before, at the age of one hundred and twenty: he ploughed the eaſt-ſide of Grafton-ſtreet, and ſowed wheat in it. This land he held for two ſhillings and ſix-pence per acre, and had ſix or ſeven hundred acres at the ſame rent. He was, on the day of the battle of the Boyne, conducting ſome farm-carts of his father's, which were impreſſed by the army of King William, to carry luggage into the camp.

Mrs. King—100.

Of Glynd, near Lewes, Suſſex. She was mother of Mr. King, gardener to Lord Hampden.

Richard Brown—108.

Of Peter-church, Hereford. By the pariſh regiſter of Byford it appears, he was baptized June 26, 1687; but, from the prevalent cuſtom of keeping children for ſome time, before they are carried to be baptized, and other corroborating circumſtances, it is probable that he was ſomewhat older. He was bred to the farming

ing buſineſs, from which he retired many years, with what he had conceived a competency for the remainder of his days: but his life proved longer than he expected, for he outlived his fortune, and became dependant on the bounty of his friends for ſubſiſtence. In the inſtance of this old man, the aſſertion that ſmoaking tobacco is prejudicial to health, is completely refuted, as he was ſeldom ſeen without the pipe in his mouth, and took his laſt whiff a ſhort time before his death. He had lived in the reigns of ſix ſovereigns, and was ſo little enfeebled by age, as to walk out to the hay-makers, during the harveſt preceding his diſſolution.

1795.

Richard Gough—101.

Of Ford's-Heath, near Shrewſbury.

Grizel Pettigrew—104.

Of Glaſgow, widow. She retained the full exerciſe of reaſon to the end of her life.

Barbara Stirling—101.

Of Edinburgh. She was daughter of Lieutenant-colonel Stirling, of the family of Keir.

Mrs.

Mrs. Fitzgerald—111.

Of Weſt-Horſley, Surry.

Mrs. Whitehouſe—109.

Of Mickleover, near Derby.

Mrs. Hunter—115.

Of Liverpool.

Anne Gardener—101.

Of Exeter.

John Baugh—103.

Of Calwell, near Malvern, Worceſterſhire, farmer; which occupation he followed ſixty-four years, and all, except three, in the above pariſh.

Thomas Seville—103.

Of Bell Broughton. He retained his faculties in a remarkable degree; could read the ſmalleſt print without ſpectacles till the day of his death; and, what is equally extraordinary, he had a full ſet of teeth, and not an unſound one in his head. He was a remarkably hearty, cheerful man.

Joſeph Brindley—109.

Of Huntington, in the pariſh of Cannock.

Rebecca

Rebecca Poney—106.

Of the poor-houſe, in Norton Falgate liberty, where ſhe had long been reſident. She was born Nov. 5, 1688, the day on which King William landed in England. The expreſſions of joy on that occaſion frightened her mother ſo much (who was there to witneſs the event), that ſhe was obliged to be put into a coach, in which ſhe was delivered of the ſubject of this article, who enjoyed an uninterrupted ſtate of health from her birth. She cut two new teeth at the age of one hundred and two, and had all perfect, except two, at her death. Not a wrinkle was to be ſeen in her countenance, and ſhe kept her bed but three days previous to her deceaſe.

Francis Tait—109.

Of the iſland of Strouna. He was an uſeful member of the ſtate, having left twenty-four ſons, who were in the ſervice of their country, there being eighteen of them in the navy, and ſix in the army.

Roger Pye—102.

Of Liverpool.

John Wilſon—100.

Of Eaſt-row, near Whitby.

John

John Smith—101.

Of the parish of Douglas, in Scotland, labourer.

Mrs. Beresford—103.

Of Dublin. She was grand-aunt to the Marquis of Waterford.

Marion Muir—103.

Of the parish of Carsphairn, in Scotland. She had three sisters, one of whom lived to the age of one hundred and one, another to ninety-five, and the third died at the age of ninety-eight.

Maria Katharina Kries—104.

Of Sonnenburg, in the canton of Lucern. She was remarkable for the chearfulness of her disposition, had always laboured hard, and was mother of several children.

Mrs. Ogden—106.

Of Holbeck, near Leeds.

Dr. Jean Borranstone—100.

Of Lambeth; an emigrant priest, and formerly chaplain to the archbishop of Paris for a series of forty years.

Moses

Moſes Phillips—103.

Of Bromyard, Hereford, baſket-maker. Early in life he enliſted for a ſoldier, and ſerved in the army during the reigns of Kings George I., II., and III. He was remarkably upright, and quick in his walk, retaining all his faculties and ſight till within a few months, when a bad humour broke out in his eyes. He carried on his buſineſs till within the laſt two or three years. He left a widow, aged eighty-five, and a ſon in the army.

1796.

Nanny M'Daniel—106.

Of St. Patrick's-hoſpital, Dublin. This woman, when young, married a ſoldier, and attended his fortune in the field, where, on the plains of Fontenoy, he fought for honour, and fell, and left her a widow with two children. The humanity of her late huſband's colonel enabled her with her children to reach Ireland: another ſoldier was her lot, who fell at the battle of Preſton-Pans, where ſhe was preſent, and had a ſon alſo killed in the field, whoſe wife and child were in the camp. On her return to Dublin, ſhe was appointed by the governors a ſervant in the foun-

foundation of Dean Swift, and was the firſt perſon that ever ſlept in that hoſpital, where ſhe remained till her death. The governors had ſuperannuated her for ſome years, and ſupported her with decency and comfort to her death.

Mrs. Smith—101.

Of Abingdon, Berks.

William Gibſon—102.

Of Hutton-Buſhel, York, farmer.

Mrs. Kelly—105.

Of Proudfoot's-town, near Lowth, county of Meath, in Ireland. Till within the laſt ſix months, ſhe walked to chapel every Sunday.

Suſan Mills—102.

She reſided in a houſe called the Ship-meadow Lock-houſe, on the Bungay navigation. Her huſband was manager at the locks for Sir John Dalling's grand-father, in the year 1715, who was then proprietor of that navigation. This inſtance of longevity ſeems to contradict the generally received opinion of the unwholeſomeneſs of low, marſhy ſituations, her reſidence being moſtly ſurrounded by floods throughout the winter.

Joſeph

Joſeph Durham—101.

Of Sunneſide, Durham; formerly a ſoldier.

John Gill—114.

Of Stratford-upon-Avon, Warwick.

Benjamin Gibbs—104.

Of Great Saxham, farmer. He enjoyed remarkably good health through life, and was at length taken off after only two day's illneſs.

William Stephenſon—103.

Of Kirkwhelpington, Northumberland.

Anne Bickerſteth—103.

Of Burton, in Kendal, widow of Mr. Bickerſteth, ſurgeon of that place. She retained her bodily and mental faculties till her death, and walked down ſtairs from her bed-chamber to her parlour the day ſhe died. She always went to bed and roſe very early.

John Wizzal—103.

Of Ripley, Derbyſhire. He enliſted for a ſoldier in his ſixteenth year, and continued in the ſervice till he was honourably diſcharged, on account of his age.

Samuel

Samuel Pinnock—125.

Of Kingſton, in Jamaica; a negro man. Till within the two laſt years, the faculties of this very old man were perfectly ſound, and his memory remarkably retentive. Of the dreadful earthquake, which, in 1692, nearly deſtroyed Port-Royal, he had a perfect recollection; and was on board a ſhip lying near Fort Auguſta, when the cataſtrophe took place; and has frequently narrated the melancholy buſineſs with a minuteneſs of detail, which none but an eye-witneſs could have given.

Elizabeth Hunt—100.

Of Worceſter. She never was indiſpoſed till the day of her death, which was almoſt ſudden. Her mother lived to be one hundred and eight.

Charles Roberts—116.

Of Berkeley county, in Virginia. He was a native of Oxfordſhire, in England, but had reſided in America nearly eighty years. Two years before his death, he rode to church alone: during his long life he knew not ſickneſs, and his death was not preceded by indiſpoſition; being ſudden, as he was eating his ſupper.

Thomas

Thomas Taylor—103.

Of Birmingham, cobler; was able to work at his trade till within a week of his death.

William Windneſs—110.

Of Garſtang, Lancaſhire.

Ann Keighly—100.

Of Hundet, near Leeds. She was mother, grand-mother, and great grand-mother to two hundred and fifty-three children. She was carried to church by twelve grand-children, and nearly one hundred of her progeny attended her funeral.

Jane Collins—102.

Of Little Berkhampſtead, Herts; a poor, induſtrious widow. A few days before her deceaſe, ſhe walked more than four miles, carrying a baſket of vegetables under her arm.

David Caldwell—107.

Of Bridgnorth. He was born in the army, in the ſhire of Ayr, in Scotland, and ſerved as a drummer in the reign of King William, and many years a ſoldier in the reign of Queen Anne. He reſided at Bridgnorth for the laſt ſeventy years.

Anne

Anne Watkins—107.

Of Dublin, wife of Mr. Watkins, ſtate-trumpeter.

Mrs. Holmes—103.

Of Quare-common, near Derby.

Jeremiah Atkins—102.

Of the Scar, near Brom-yard, Herefordſhire. He was a ſoldier at the taking of the Havannah and Martinico, and very near being ſcalped by the Indians, from whom he was reſcued at the moment they were about to perform the operation. He was likewiſe at the taking of Crown Point, in America; and in the battle of Fontenoy with the Duke of Cumberland; and fought againſt the rebels in Scotland. He was at the taking of Quebec, when General Wolfe was killed; and afterwards at the battle of Tournay, in Flanders. This extraordinary man retained all his faculties, but that of hearing, to the period of his diſſolution.

Thomas Jackſon—105.

Of Ulpha, Cumberland, farmer. He could walk about within a few days of his death; and, what is remarkable, he held the plough when in his hundredth year.

Mrs.

Mrs. Thompſon—135.

Near Dublin. She was very active; and by a regular mode of living, together with much exerciſe, attained ſo great an age.

1797.

Charles Macklin, Eſq.—107.

Of James-ſtreet, Covent-garden, London; an eminent dramatic writer, and celebrated comedian of Covent-garden Theatre; the veteran father of the ſtage. He had long been in a ſtate of natural decay; but, although incapable of quitting his bed, for ſeveral weeks previous to his diſſolution, his ſpirits did not forſake him, till within a few minutes of his final exit from the ſtage of life. After a ſevere ſtruggle againſt the invincible force of Death, he paſſed quietly into eternity, without a groan.

In the former part of his life, till about the age of forty, he lived very intemperately, and irregularly, by ſitting up late, hard drinking, and violent exerciſe; ſubſequent thereto, he determined to proceed by rule, which he ſcrupulouſly obſerved. It was his frequent cuſtom to promote preſpiration, and then change his linen, particularly as he advanced in life; and if, on occaſion, he drank a glaſs or two of wine too much, he al-

ways took a Scotch-pill at night going to bed, which prevented the head-ache next morning. He was moderate at his meals, but no ways abſtemious, and eat fiſh, fleſh, &c. till the age of ſeventy; when, finding that tea did not agree with him, he uſed, as a ſubſtitute, milk, with a little bread boiled in it, ſweetened with brown ſugar. About the year 1764, he loſt all his teeth, and was thereby obliged to ſubſiſt principally on fiſh, eggs, puddings, and ſpoon food, which, however, he was very fond of, as alſo cuſtards, jellies, &c. For the laſt forty years, his principal beverage was white wine and water, pretty ſweet. In the year 1770, he was attacked with a ſevere fit of the rheumatiſm, and in conſequence, to avoid it, diſcontinued the uſe of ſheets, and ſlept in blankets. It was his cuſtom not to ſleep on a feather bed, but on a mattreſs, which was on a couch, without curtains, placed in the center of the room, and on which he repoſed whenever he found himſelf ſleepy. He uſually lay with his head high, but, for the laſt twenty years, never took off his clothes, unleſs to change them, or his linen, or to be rubbed all over with warm brandy or gin; a cuſtom he often repeated, and occaſionally ſteeped his feet in warm water. He ſtrictly obſerved the dictates of nature; ate when hun-

hungry, drank when thirſty, and ſlept when ſleepy.—Vid. *Memoirs of his Life*, 2 vols. 8vo.

Jonas Surington—159.

He reſided in a ſmall village near Bergen, in Norway; and retained the perfect uſe of his faculties to the laſt hour of his very extraordinary long life. The day before he died, he aſſembled his family, and divided his property amongſt them. He had been ſeveral times married, and left behind him a young widow, and ſeveral children, his eldeſt ſon being one hundred and three, and his youngeſt nine years of age.—*This man is mentioned in the year* 1747, *but having ſince the printing of that ſheet received a fuller account of him, it is here inſerted.*

Thomas Wigmore—102.

Of Maresfield work-houſe, Suſſex. It is not unworthy of remark, that at the age of eighty-two, with as much reſolution as raſhneſs, he cut off his right hand.

Anne Prigg—104.

Of Bury, Lancaſhire.

Jeremiah Stowers—101.

Of Burgate, farmer.

Mrs. Church—109.

Of Stanton, Glouceſterſhire. In recently calling to recollection the earlieſt public events within her memory, ſhe well remembered the rejoicings at the acceſſion of Queen Anne to the crown of theſe realms. Under the ſame roof lived the old lady, her daughter, her grand-daughter, and her grand-daughter's children, making four generations in one houſe! Her death was haſtened by a fall down ſtairs a few weeks before.

Mary Reynolds—109.

Of Stenton, near Coleford.

Mary Davis—105.

Of Llangarren, Hereford, widow.

Joyce Pearce—105.

Of the houſe of induſtry, at Worceſter. He retained to the laſt the full poſſeſſion of an excellent memory.

Winifred Foxon—104.

Of Meſſingham, Lincoln. She was born at Boſton; was a very induſtrious woman, and ſupported herſelf by hard labour till within two years of her death.

Hannah

Hannah Sturges—106.

Of Aſhby-de-la-Zouch. She well remembered the rejoicings on the peace of Utrecht, in 1713, when ſhe was only nineteen years old, and that booths were erected in the town, and barrels of ale wheeled about, and diſtributed to the poor inhabitants. An elder brother died, two years before, at Clifton, near Aſhbourn, aged one hundred and nine; and another ſiſter, at Aſhby, about twenty years before, aged eighty: ſo that the united ages of a brother and two ſiſters were two hundred and ninety-five years.

Mrs. Croſſman—106.

Of Weymouth.

Henry Gray—102.

Of Bamburgh, Northumberland, inn-keeper.

William Birkhead—100.

Of Brork-houſe, near Cleckheaton, York.

Anne Gray—100.

Of Skipton, near Market-Weighton. She had lived upwards of ſixty years in a ſmall cottage at Torpe-in-the-Street; and, till within a few years of her death, earned her own livelihood.

Alice

Alice Pilcher—104.

Of Sheldwich Lees, Kent, widow. Her remains were interred near thoſe of her two huſbands, by whom ſhe had nine children; whoſe children and grand-children have increaſed to upwards of one hundred and forty in number. Till within two years of her death, ſhe could read without ſpectacles.

William Giſeman—109.

Of Killintown, near Multifarnam, farmer. He was married to his fifth wife, who brought him two fine boys, about eighteen months before his death.

Catharine Richardſon—109.

Of Maples, Cheſhire. She had breathed the ſalubrious air of that healthful and elevated ſituation about eighty years, during the whole of that length of time ſhe enjoyed a ſingular ſtate of good health.

John Knowles—109.

Of Birmingham work-houſe.

Catharine Ducket—106.

Of Cumley, in the pariſh of Cardington, Shropſhire.

Anne

Anne Fulford—101.

Of Saliſbury; a poor, but honeſt and induſtrious widow. She was formerly a domeſtic ſervant of Charles, Duke of Somerſet, and of the old Earl of Weſtmoreland, but latterly of General Bathurſt, of Clarendon-park. She retained her ſenſes to the laſt hour of her life, with a memory, uncommon at her age. She perfectly recollected all the circumſtances of the great ſtorm in 1703, which happened when ſhe was living with her grand-mother, at a village near Pomfret, being then ſeven years of age.

Jane Stephenſon—117.

Of Poulton, in the Fylde, Lancaſter.

Margaret Woods—100.

Of Great-Waltham, Eſſex. She and her anceſtors had been ſervants in the ſame family upwards of four hundred years.

Anne Pickering—110.

Near Atherſton, Warwickſhire. She retained her faculties till a ſhort time previous to her death; and, though at ſuch advanced age, ſhe was accuſtomed to attend and lead one of her ſons (who was incapable of taking care of himſelf) wherever he had an inclination to go.

Mary

Mary Chilcott—101.

Of Poughill, Devon.

David Claybrook—100.

Of the pariſh of Studley. Such was the ſtrength of this man, that he walked every Sunday two miles to church, till within a few weeks of his death; and, about a year before, chimed three of the church-bells, without any aſſiſtance, ringing being his favourite exerciſe.

1798.

Mr. Ingleby—117.

Of Battle-abbey. He had been upwards of ninety-five years a domeſtic in the family of Lady Webſter. The following narration of this remarkable man is by a gentleman, who travelled ſixty miles in ſnow, from Barbican, in Nov. 1797, to pay his reſpects to him:

" To my great ſurpriſe, I found Mr. Ingleby, " in a ſituation very far removed from the luxuries " of life, or the place which might be deemed " neceſſary for his years. He was in an antique " out-building, near the Caſtle-gate, where his " table was ſpread under an arched roof; the " whole of the building being nearly filled with " billet-

" billet-wood, and ſcarcely affording room for the
" oaken bench, on which this wonder of longe-
" vity was reclining by the fire. His whole ap-
" pearance immediately reminded me of the latter
" days of Dr. Johnſon: his dreſs was preciſely
" that of the ſage; a full-bottomed wig; a full-
" dreſſed chocolate ſuit with yellow buttons.
" But the moſt ſtriking ſimilarity was found in
" the penſive ſolemnity of his air and demeanour,
" *triſtis ſeveritas vultûs*, which characteriſed the
" great Moraliſt of England. There was nothing
" in his look which impreſſed on the mind the
" idea of a perſon more than fourſcore years old,
" except a falling of the under jaw, which be-
" ſpoke his more advanced age. We were in-
" troduced to him, in form, by a matron, who
" ſeemed to take it as a high dignity, that ſhe
" was ſuppoſed to be his daughter, but who
" ſerved as a ſort of interpreter between us, Mr.
" Ingleby's extreme deafneſs not permitting any
" regular converſation. When the nurſe ex-
" plained our errand, in a very diſtinct, but hol-
" low voice, he ſaid, ' I am much obliged to
' them for the favour they do me; but I am not
' well, and unable to converſe with them.' " He
" then turned his face toward the high part of
" the bench on which he reclined, and was ſilent.
" In each of his withered hands he held a ſhort,

" rude,

" rude, beechen walking-ſtick, about three feet " high, by the help of which he was accuſtomed, " not only to walk about the extenſive premiſes " in which he paſſed his life, but to take his little " rambles about the town; and once (for the old " Gentleman was iraſcible) he actually ſet out on " a pedeſtrian excurſion to Haſtings, *to enquire* " *for another ſituation in ſervice*, becauſe his pa- " troneſs deſired him to be more attentive to " perſonal neatneſs. It is but juſtice to the lady " alluded to, to add, that the uncouth abode of " Mr. Ingleby was the only one in which he " could be perſuaded to dwell, and which long " familiarity had rendered dear to him. The " choice appeared very extraordinary; but every " thing belonging to the hiſtory of Mr. Ingleby " was beyond the fixed and ſettled rules, by which " human life is, in general, regulated.

" One thing it is but juſtice to Mr. Ingleby to " add; he had a very ſtrong ſenſe of religious " duty. Till within a very ſhort time, he was in " the habits of reading prayers twice a day to his " attendant, and others, whom curioſity (or from " better motives) led to form his congregation; " and, when the fatigue of this exertion was more " than he could encounter, he ſtill, once in the " day, performed his public devotions." A portrait of him has been lately publiſhed.

John

John M'Gregor—108.

Of Barcaldine, in Scotland. He ended his days on the anniverſary of his birth, Chriſtmas-day, old-ſtyle. He was at the battle of Sheriff-muir, and afterwards ſerved in the Scots brigade in Holland. He had been in the ſervice of the family of Barcaldine upwards of fifty years.

George Angus—106.

Of Aberdeen. He had been a labourer in that neighbourhood upwards of fifty years, and continued to work till within a few weeks of his deceaſe.

Thomas Jackſon—103.

Of Norton, Derby.

Edward Farral—108.

Of Dublin.

Richard Hamer—102.

Of Hunt Fold, Lancaſter.

Iſidore Lottin—101.

Of Paris; formerly "*Scelleur hereditaire de "France.*" He was a native of Brienne, in the *ci-devant* province of Champagne, and never had the leaſt illneſs till a ſhort time before his death.

Eliza-

Elizabeth Patrick—100.

Of Yarkhill, Hereford.

Martha Gillet—100.

Of Edmonton work-houſe. She was a native of Caithneſs, in North-Britain. Her firſt ſweetheart was killed in the rebellion of 1717; her ſecond was a rebel in 1745, with whom ſhe marched to Derby, but he fell in the battle of Culloden. After this ſhe married Thomas Gillet, a private in Duke William's army, with whom ſhe went to Germany, and remained there during the campaign. They then returned to England, (about the year 1750) where he drove ſeveral ſtages on the Northern road, particularly to Hertford, Edmonton, &c.; and ſhe ſpun thread for the ſhoemakers till about the year 1792, when her huſband died, and her ſight began to fail her; after which ſhe was ſupported by generous neighbours, till, totally deprived of ſight, ſhe was obliged to take refuge in the work-houſe, where ſhe was eſteemed till life may be ſaid to have fallen aſleep in the arms of death.

Suſannah Reynolds—107.

Of Pentonville.

William

William Hyde—106.

Of Hopton-Waters, Shropſhire. He enjoyed to the laſt moment the full uſe of every faculty. Within a few weeks of his death, he could walk two or three miles at a time: in 1797, when on the verge of one hundred and five years, he attended Worceſter races, and walked daily to and from the ground, a diſtance of near five miles!

In his cottage, on the ſide of the Clee-hills, he paſſed his long and peaceful life. The ſame pariſh which gave him birth (with very few exceptions) has been his bourne. Once, indeed, after the age of ſeventy, he wandered into Wiltſhire to ſee his ſons, and walked on the firſt day of his journey from his home to Newport, in Glouceſterſhire, a diſtance of nearly fifty miles. With a mind neither debauched nor diſtracted by vicious or violent paſſions, nor highly elevated in the purſuits of exalted virtues, he calmly glided down this long ſtream of life, with few circumſtances to ruffle it. Perhaps, in theſe diſſolute times, the moſt remarkable circumſtance is, that he lived ſixty-eight years with one wife.

Joan Oyl—107.

Of Great Torrington, Devon.

Mary Climment—102.

Of Clovelly, Devon.

John Weeks—114.

Of New London, Connecticut. He married his tenth wife, when one hundred and ſix years of age, ſhe being only ſixteen! His grey hairs had fallen off, which were renewed by a dark head of hair; and ſeveral new teeth had made their appearance. A few hours previous to his deceaſe, he ate three pounds of pork, two or three pounds of bread, and drank nearly a pint of wine!

Elizabeth Brown—124.

Of Port-Royal, Jamaica; a negro woman.

Lewis Biſſet—109.

He was a native of Inverneſs, and followed his profeſſion of baker and brewer there, and at Tain, till about twelve years previous to his death, when he removed to Edinburgh, where, for the moſt part, his dependance was on the public. He afterwards removed to Broughton-Loan, where he died.

Jean Petrie—113.

Of Peterhead, in Scotland.

John Yerbury—100.

Of Belvidere, Lanſdown-road, Bath.

William

William Rolfe, Esq.—101.

Of Bury, Suffolk.

William Westmoreland—100.

Of Harrowgate.

John Hastie—100.

Of Edinburgh; a Chelsea pensioner; was at the battle of Sheriffmuir. For the last thirty years he worked as a day-labourer.

Elizabeth Reid—106.

Of Spanish-Town; a negro woman.

Reverend Bellingham Swan—102.

Of Dysart, in Ireland. He was curate to the celebrated Dean Swift.

John Evans—101.

Of Campsie, in Scotland. He was formerly a soldier, and was in the memorable battle of Dettingen, &c. under the Earl of Stair.

William Watt—102.

Of Leith, in Scotland, porter.

Priscilla Wragg—121.

Of St. Jago de la Vega; a free negro woman.

John

1799.

John Saunders—106.

Of Stratford, near Old Sarum, dealer in bacon and cheeſe. He was through life very active and laborious. When the weather would permit it, he uſually attended Sunday ſervice at his pariſh-church, near a mile from his home: occaſionally he would walk to New Sarum, and back again, nearly three miles; and to Old-Caſtle houſe, to drink a cup of ale, and ſmoke his pipe; and, being perfectly upright and ſtraight, uſed no ſtick to aſſiſt him. But a few years previous to his death, he was able to cleave wood; and, a ſhort time before he died, was ſeen to run, in order to avoid a carriage in a narrow part of the road.

Anne Day—108.

A well-known gipſey. Bent almoſt double, and nearly blind, ſhe travelled the country on an aſs, attended by two or three of her fraternity, and was well known in moſt parts. She had not ſlept in a bed for ſeventy years; and for the laſt forty years ſhe had not a tooth in her head, nor ſight but by one eye. She loſt three of her toes, about twelve years before, by the froſt, and at the

ſame

ſame time loſt the uſe of one of her arms. She died under a hedge near Henlow, Bedfordſhire, and was buried at Arlſey, near that town. Her funeral was attended by a vaſt concourſe of people from the neighbouring villages, but by only two of the people to which ſhe belonged, who called themſelves her ſon and daughter, the former eighty-two, and the latter eighty-five years of age, each having great grand-children.

Frances Rodd—100.

Of Hereford; a maiden lady.

Mrs. Owen—107.

Of Liverpool.

Mary Auſtin—100.

Of Ely, Cambridgeſhire, widow.

Mrs. Tilſley—102.

Of Winchenford, Worceſterſhire.

Simeon Ellerton—104.

Of Craike, Durham. He was a noted pedeſtrian, and in that capacity had been often employed by gentlemen in the neighbourhood on commiſſions to the South, which he executed with fidelity and diligence.

John Jackſon—117.

Of Burnew-caſtle, gunner. He boaſted much of having ſerved under the great Duke of Marlborough, and of having ſince been engaged in nineteen different actions.

Jane Yanſon—102.

Of Lerwick, North-Britain. She was married ſixty-three years, and had carefully preſerved her wedding ſhift to be her ſhroud. She left her huſband, aged ninety-ſeven years.

John Wilſon—100.

Of Soſgill, Cumberland. He was formerly a blackſmith, which profeſſion he followed for near ſixty years; in all which time his beverage was milk or water, with the exception of two glaſſes of ale, and one glaſs of ſpirituous liquor.

James Dyce—107.

In Kirktown, of Daviot, Aberdeenſhire. He retained his ſenſes to the laſt, and kept his bed only three days before his death. His mother died at the age of one hundred and twelve years.

George Brooks—101.

Of Glaſtonbury.

Mrs.

Mrs. Battey—104.

Of Merrow-Common, near Guildford, Surry. She had been ſeveral years confined to her bed, but was perfectly ſenſible to the laſt. She was born at Effingham, in that county, April 19, 1696; and buried with her huſband, in Merrow church-yard.

Nathan Moſes—108.

A Jew. He was interred in the Jews' Burial Ground, Mile-end Road, and was attended to the grave by a vaſt number of Jews. He was the oldeſt member of the Dutch Jew Synagogue.

Sarah Cartmale—103.

Of Litchfield. She left one daughter, and about forty grand and great grand-children.

John King—103.

Of Athlone. His ſiſter was one hundred years of age.

Lazarus Levi—105.

Of Leeds; a Jew. He was a vender of ſpectacles, and various kinds of hardware.

John M'Kee—100.

Of Liverpool, joiner.

Agnes

Agnes Bayne—106.

Of Baillie's Ward, near Huntley, widow.

Marguerite Corbie—102.

Of Liſle; of which place ſhe was a native. She reſided in that city when taken by the Duke of Marlborough, in 1709, being then in her twelfth year.

John Sayer—110.

Of Caiſter, near Norwich, butcher. He retained the perfect uſe of his faculties to the laſt hour of his life, with a memory very unuſual at his age.

Mary Jones—105.

Of Liverpool work-houſe.

Mr. Humphries—102.

Of Newington, near London, carpenter. He was ſo devoid of curioſity that he never was a mile diſtant from the houſe in which he was born.

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